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MINUTES

OF THE

New England

Yearly Meeting of Friends

Three Hundred First Session

Held at

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Sixth Month 20th to Sixth Month 25th

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Third Day Evening

1. New England Yearly Meeting of Friends meeting for its three hundred first session, Sixth Month 20, 1961 at Brunswick, Maine.

In the divine presence we center down, opening our hearts and minds to the message that is for us, at the start of a new century for the Society of Friends in New England.

2. The Meeting for worship following the opening minute was a continuation of the concern before the Meeting on Ministry and Counsel on "New Dimensions in Ministry." The need for depth in our ministry was clearly stated. The breadth of the task before us, outlined. We are challenged with the rapid change around us and our need to face the task before us with confidence that God will speak to us and through us in various ways. Perhaps it will not be in words but from a deeper level that the spirit of guidance will be conveyed. Our ministry must come from a vital center to which we retire for spiritual growth and refreshment.

Fourth Day Morning

3. The roll of representatives was called. Fifty-nine representatives and twelve alternates were present. Young Friends and Juniors attending from our nine Quarterly Meetings were recognized.

CONNECTICUT VALLEY: Edward Schafer, Marion Jessell, John Stamm, Russell Brooks, Helen Griffith, George Bliss, Helen Bliss, Daisy Newman, Edward Manice, Theodore Paullin.

DOVER: David Curtis, Maude A. Fowler, Winslow H. Osborne.

FALMOUTH: Frances P. York, Gloria Smith, Dorothy Page, Mary Page, Stanley L. Aldrich, Hattie O. Cox, T. Ernest Weed, Hattie Thomes, Bernice C. S. Douglas.

NORTHWEST: Henry Williams, Richard Naeye, Patricia Naeye, John Sullivan, Elizabeth Ballard, Mildred Morse.

RHODE ISLAND: Henry Foster, John R. Kellam, Thomas Perry, Ruth D. B. White.

SALEM: Franklin Pineo, Ruth Pineo, Edna Haviland, Marion Kelsey, Rebecca Bradley, Jane Burgess, George Selleck, Florence Selleck, Annie Dernier, Herbert Huffman, Lee Ross, Richard Sifferlen.

SANDWICH: Ernest H. Weed, Esther Weed, Harry Allen, Evelyn Weston, Gordon Browne, John Ruth.

SMITHFIELD: Robert N. Cool, Willard H. Ware, Melita B. Fisher, Edith C. Ware.

VASSALBORO: Eleanor Bailey, Miriam E. Jones, Mary Elizabeth Jones, Hazel Foster, Carleton Cates, Leona G. Stevens, Grace Frost, William Olsen.

The Quarterly Meetings presented names for the Nominating Committee and for the Finance Committee. (See Directory for names.)

4. The Junior Yearly Meeting holding its thirty-second session brought a message to this group delivered by Sally Towle.

5. Jane Burgess and Marion Jessell were named to visit sessions of the Junior Yearly Meeting to carry our warm greetings to them.

6. Norval and Amy Webb, Western Yearly Meeting; David G. Paul, Richmond and Alice Miller, Philadelphia Yearly Meeting; S. Arthur and Florence Watson, Iowa Yearly Meeting, were present with minutes. Other Friends were recognized as welcome visitors: Allen Hole, David Henley, Russell and Mary Rees, Howard and Mary Alexander and their children, John, Rachel, Margaret, Jane, and George, Indiana Yearly Meeting; William Bacon Evans, Peter and Suzanne Day, Philadelphia Yearly Meeting; Evelyn Haworth and Daryl Kent, North Carolina Yearly Meeting; Lawrence White, an attender at Washington Meeting and representative for the Friends Committee on National Legislation; Gilbert and Grete Perleberg,

New York Yearly Meeting; Benjamin Wegesa, East Africa Yearly Meeting; and Dorothy Gandine-Stanton, London Yearly Meeting.

7. Earle D. Wilson sent a resignation as Reading Clerk. Jane Burgess was asked to serve in that capacity in this session.

8. The summary of the Minutes of the Permanent Board was read by Winslow Osborne and its action was approved.

SUMMARY OF THE MINUTES OF THE PERMANENT BOARD

For the Year 1960-1961

Since the 1960 session of the Yearly Meeting, three regular meetings of the Permanent Board have been held. One was held on Sixth Month 26th, 1960 at Brunswick Maine, attended by 18 members; one in Cambridge, Massachusetts, on Second Month 22nd, 1961, attended by 31 members; and one in Brunswick, Maine on Sixth Month 20th, 1961, attended by 25 members.

Winslow H. Osborne was appointed presiding clerk and John H. Foster recording clerk. Appreciation was expressed for the many years of able and faithful service of Robert E. Owen on the Board and as presiding clerk.

The Board recommended to Sandwich Quarterly Meeting that Rhode Island Monthly Meeting be laid down. It was reported at a later meeting of the Board that this recommendation had been carried out by the Quarterly Meeting. The Board asked the Quarterly Meeting to take suitable action on the membership status of the few members of the former Rhode Island Monthly Meeting.

Since it was learned that Portsmouth Friends are not now desirous of using the Newport Meeting House, the Board authorized the sale of this property with the provision that all Friends designations be permanently removed from the exterior of the building. The Board awaits more information before authorizing action with regard to other property of Rhode Island Monthly Meeting.

A letter of understanding from the Yearly Meeting to Polly Thayer Starr was approved by the Board. This letter expressed great appreciation of her gift of a home formerly belonging to her mother to the Yearly Meeting to be used as a home for elderly Friends. The letter also suggested equitable arrangements in the event that the house be sold or is taken by eminent domain proceedings in the future. The Board authorized changing the name of the Home from Huntington-Dixon Home to the New England Friends Home. The Board also granted permission for the New England Friends Home Committee to conduct a fund drive to raise about $75,000 for necessary repairs and remodeling of the new Home. Great appreciation was expressed for the work of the Committee.

The Board approved a suggestion that the Yearly Meeting Recorder be nominated by Representatives from Quarterly Meetings and that he serve under the supervision of the Central Advisory Committee as do the Central Office and Field Secretary.

The necessary legal arrangements were approved to permit the Yearly Meeting to receive a bequest by the late Lucy H. Melcher for use by Lincoln School. The Board also received word of a bequest by the late Lydia T. Jones Bacon, the interest from which is to be paid to, or for the benefit of, some needy person in the New England Friends Home.

It was reported that the Anna M. Brown Scholarship Fund remains unused. The suggestion was approved that the scholarship committee of the Committee on Moses Brown School and Lincoln School be reminded of the existence, provisions and amount of this fund.

The Board authorized the purchase of a house in Providence, Rhode Island, for the use of Moses Brown School and authorized borrowing up to $20,000 to pay for it.

The Board approved of the Friends General Conference joining the National Council of the Churches of Christ in the U. S. A.

The following changes in the committee structure were approved: That the Quarterly Meetings name representatives to Yearly Meeting at the spring Quarterly Meeting; that at the spring Quarterly Meeting one member be named to the nominating committee for two years and one member be named to the finance committee for two years, each of these to assume their duties at the conclusion of Yearly Meeting sessions. Members of the nominating committee and of the finance committee should not be considered representatives unless they are specifically appointed as such by the Quarterly Meeting.

It was reported to the Board that a list of real property owned by the Yearly Meeting and its member meetings has been completed and placed in the Yearly Meeting Central Office.

The Board approved the suggestion that the Field Secretary be named an ex-officio member of the Board.

The Board invited members of Rhode Island Preparative Meeting of Ohio Yearly Meeting to attend our 1961 Yearly Meeting sessions.

Memorials for Forrest E. Wheeler and Joseph Hanson Ryan were approved and summaries recommended to the Yearly Meeting for publication.

It was reported that the China Camp committee has purchased 200 feet of road frontage adjoining the Pond Meetinghouse property, together with considerable back land, and also 50 feet of lake shore with a 20 foot wide access way from the main road.

JOHN H. FOSTER, Recording Clerk

9. The Report of the Yearly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel was presented by George T. Little and approved by the Yearly Meeting.

SUMMARY REPORT OF THE NEW ENGLAND YEARLY MEETING ON MINISTRY AND COUNSEL

The Yearly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel gathered in its annual session at Brunswick, Maine, at 2 p.m. on 20th day, 6th month, 1961. Herbert Huffman, clerk, read the opening minute and the meeting settled into a period of silent worship.

The names of thirty-six appointed representatives from Quarterly Meetings were read and twenty-eight were present. Among the more than fifty additional Friends present, David Henley of Five Years Meeting, Norval and Amy Webb of Western Yearly Meeting, David G. Paul of Philadelphia Yearly Meeting, and Howard Alexander of Richmond, Indiana, were welcomed as visitors.

The report of the Continuation Committee of the Yearly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel was received and a minute prepared to the effect that this committee might serve as and act for the Yearly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel when the latter is not in session.

Mabel G. Bailey and George T. Little were nominated and approved as clerk and recording clerk for the next year. Ernest H. Weed, Lelia Taylor, and George Selleck were appointed to serve as the next nominating committee. Moses Bailey, Hattie O Cox and Marion Kelsey were appointed as the Worship Committee for 1962 Yearly Meeting.

The meeting received a minute from Smithfield Quarterly Meeting noting the recording in the ministry of Robert N. Cool.

Minutes of greeting were approved to Gertrude Smith, Myron Jenness, and Arthur Jones who were absent this year only because of ill health.

A minute of appreciation for the services of the retiring clerk, Herbert Huffman, was approved.

Following the reading of two minutes from Connecticut Valley Quarterly Meeting on the need for greater care and direction for our spiritual lives, the Meeting heard a panel discussion on "New Dimensions for Ministry Among Friends Today." Ernest H. Weed was chairman and was assisted by Louisa Alger, George Selleck, and John Sullivan. The thoughts of those speaking turned from a definition of "ministry" to an affirmation that every Friend has a responsibility for his preparation to receive the Divine Imperative. For the vocal ministry of our meetings we should encourage Friends "not to not speak."

HERBERT S. HUFFMAN, Clerk
GEORGE T. LITTLE, Recording Clerk

10. The reports of Spiritual Condition in our Quarterly Meetings were considered.

CONNECTICUT VALLEY QUARTERLY MEETING

The writing of these reports does not come easily. Middletown begins with an observation which has very general application: "This Meeting has sometimes felt doubts, which may be shared by others, about the annual report on spiritual condition. It is difficult to avoid either a ritualistic search for shortcomings or a smug catalog of good works."

Several meetings in our quarter feel a strengthened quality in the Meeting for Worship. Guilford says, "Our last year's experience of inadequacy and spiritual dryness seems to be breaking down and yielding to movements of new life." From Storrs: "The Storrs Meeting has become in recent months a spiritually alive Meeting. The members seem to have come to the realization of its importance, of their need for it and, because it is small, its particular need for every single member to participate. Desultory attendance has changed to a general sense of responsibility and a joyous desire to come together." From New Haven: "Nearly three-fourths of our resident members are in regular attendance." Middle Connecticut Valley reports a "... greatly increased warmth of fellowship in our Meeting, coming together as we all do at Amherst, except for Friends who meet at Great Barrington. This greater unity, this feeling that the Meeting is all one family, has strengthened our Meeting life and our individual lives."

Middletown, however, reports some falling off of regular attendance and Hartford writes, "With the departure from the Meeting of gifted Friends on whom we had relied too dependently, we have recognized the need of individual self-searching and commitment in the ministry." Monadnock speaks of the heterogeneity of its meetings for worship and the feeling that some members have been kept from speaking freely for fear of giving offense to others and adds, "We should encourage all to speak freely from the depths of their concerns in these times of spiritual togetherness, being aware of the unifying force of the spirit of God."

The increased participation of Friends in various witnesses for peace, the abolition of capital punishment and other social concerns is reflected in the reports from our Quarter. In several instances the Quaker Witness for Peace in Washington, D. C., in which most meetings participated, served as the springboard for subsequent testimony in New England.

The prevailing spirit in the Quarter seems to be summed up in these last few sentences from Middle Connecticut Valley: "Are we so filled with the Spirit of God that we yearn to share our religious life with others and can find the means for doing this? How can we bring together the Meeting and those who need its message and fellowship? We are deeply aware of the importance of seeking a balance in our lives between the acceptance of challenges and the depth and serenity of spirit necessary to meet them in love and humility."

DOVER QUARTERLY MEETING

Weare reports continuing support of the Federated Church, with a large Sunday School having a real influence in the children of the community.

Concord reports a large percentage of young people taking part in the meeting, and active interest in the Washington Peace Vigil, and Peace Walks.

Meaderboro meeting plays a vital part in the community life, and now has two different age groups in the Sunday evening young people's meetings. A family is supported in the mission field.

Gonic meeting continues with supply ministry, and has regular mission work activities.

Dover reports concern and active support of our Peace Testimony, and a need for full sharing of responsibility in the meetings for worship. "We should go back to the Source; the Bible, Christ Himself, for guidance. It is as if we had a deep, pure well in front of us, and were not thirsty enough to draw up a deep vessel of cold, sparkling water and drink."

FALMOUTH QUARTERLY MEETING

A feeling of peace pervades the membership of Falmouth Quarter. There are so many things for which one should be thankful. For the devoted service of some of our members, for special efforts to give assistance and encouragement to those who feel keenly inadequate, for stirring messages of uplift and renewal of faith, for a living fellowship imbued with love and tolerance, for many spiritual gifts, for opportunities for Christian nurture of our little ones, for the example of dedicated souls who have helped blaze life's trails for us, we express our gratitude.

We are at the same time humbled by our weaknesses and shortcomings. For those of our number who fail to support our mission and program, for the non-resident members who are too often ignored or forgotten, for our lethargy in sometimes allowing others to do for us the jobs we should be doing, for our frequent willingness to let material comforts override spiritual values, for hesitancy to stand up and be counted and to speak out on controversial issues, for failing to keep Christ in the center of our lives, we experience a sense of incompleteness and shame.

Statistically, the Quarter is growing older and shrinking in numbers, indicative of a sluggish outreach or a decaying vitality. In some respects, considerable effort is being made to revitalize the Meeting; in other respects, the flame seems to be burning low. The feeling of peace might be a false sense of security. We need a renewal of faith, a strong sense of duty, and resolute hearts to give ever-increasing expression to the high ideals which we espouse.

NORTHWEST QUARTERLY MEETING

The Meetings at present have found themselves gradually during the past few years, and being now full of social concerns and spiritual questions, gives us hope that changes in membership occasioned by the regretted departure of several beloved Friends will not mean a collective weakening. We hold our ties of friendship within the meeting very seriously, and those of us who have already moved on to other parts of the world still are bound strongly to us in spirit. The spirit of the Meeting for Worship is sincere and usually searching and prayerful. A unifying theme is often apparent. In one of the meetings the silent ministry has been strengthened by a Bible study group which has met regularly at bi-weekly intervals.

Members have had varying success in maintaining simplicity in their lives. At times external pressures and events crowd us. Inner retirement is often difficult. We have tried to have our homes reflect a peaceful and loving spirit. Some members have made special efforts to make Friendly witness as a family unit, and have received considerable inner satisfaction in these endeavors.

The religious development of our children through the direct activities of the Meetings continues to raise difficulties for us. Some of our children and young people attend Meeting for Worship on a fairly regular basis. Others attend First Day School which occurs at the same time appointed for Meeting for Worship. Considerable burden has been placed on a few members in the First Day School. We record their faithful efforts and look for further guidance in this area.

Members are active in a variety of concerns which seek to promote the cause of brotherhood on earth. We have a variety of opinions on some of the detailed aspects of the Peace Testimony, but have had little difficulty in proceeding with a number of practical measures in this area. We felt ourselves very much with our members who took part in the Pentagon Vigil on 11th November.

Discussions in Ministry and Counsel have been fruitful. Conversations about the Queries, and also about Meetings for Worship have strengthened the spiritual life of those who took part, and this influence has deepened the spiritual perceptiveness of the Meetings themselves. We are, however, acutely aware of the need for simplifying our lives so that we can be responsive to the promptings of Spirit.

RHODE ISLAND QUARTERLY MEETING

Providence Meeting's report stresses the concern for the spiritual well-being of each member of the Meeting, for the depth of the Meeting is dependent on our relationship with one another, as well as our relationship to God. The two are inseparable.

There is need, of course, to seek even deeper faith and understanding in one another, to consider problems from the other's point of view and feel secure enough in our faith to discuss differences, and to accept the responsibilities required by the freedom of Friends Meetings.

It should be ever remembered that as Paul wrote to the Corinthians: "Now there are varieties of gifts, but the same Spirit. And there are varieties of service, but the same Lord. And there are varieties of working, but it is the same God who inspires them in everyone."

Westerly Meeting voices the concern it feels over making its influence felt in the community, and seeks guidance in striving to share the precious heritage that Friends have to offer with non-Friends who may be seeking the refreshment and peace of Friends Meeting.

SALEM QUARTERLY MEETING

While the individual monthly meetings continue active in many varied forms of service and outreach, each has a strong concern for its spiritual welfare. The Quarterly Meeting is now examining its function and form, hoping to find a solution to the problem posed by many who feel that quarterly meeting lacks vitality and interest. As we examine the practical problems of our Society, and engage in ever-increasing material activity in our monthly meetings, we seek God's guidance and motivation, not only in these things but also in the areas of worship and fellowship.

SANDWICH QUARTERLY MEETING

The varied reports of the Meetings in Sandwich Quarter consistently expressed grateful awareness of the Spirit of God working in and strengthening the Meetings. Though many Meetings are small and several hold only seasonal, appointed, or irregular meetings, all report the richness of deep experiences in worship. Our pastoral meetings expressed appreciation for the quality of leadership provided them. Unprogrammed meetings for worship were held regularly in Yarmouth Preparative Meeting, in Fall River Preparative Meeting for much of the year, and occasionally in other Meetings.

Mattapoisett, Allen's Neck, Dartmouth, Swansea, and Yarmouth all reported active First Day Schools. Allen's Neck young people's groups added a missionary project in support of the school in Ramallah to their activities.

Support of Friends' agencies and projects, such as the American Friends Service Committee, China Camp, the Huntington Home, and others, was general among the Meetings. Most had undertaken support of some local community activities, too, these varying from the Interchurch Council in New Bedford to the Women's Christian Temperance Union in Allen's Neck to courses for young people in marine biology in Sandwich.

Swansea, Allen's Neck, and several others had extensive missionary programs, often guided by the women of the Meetings.

One report seemed to summarize the feelings of Sandwich Friends—"We recognize that we are sadly imperfect in our service and in our sensitivity to the leadings of the Holy Spirit. We are deeply grateful, then, that God has blessed us so far beyond our deserts. We praise Him and rejoice in the opportunity to continue to seek and to grow together under His loving care."

SMITHFIELD QUARTERLY MEETING

Smithfield Quarterly Meeting is striving, in a world filled with threats of war and in homes filled with busyness, to secure a deeper and more meaningful spiritual condition. We find, however, that while we have devotion and cooperation we also have placidity and neglectfulness; while there is hope there is also despair; while there is courage there is also weakness.

How then can our spiritual condition be measured? Will a mere recital of past actions declare our spiritual condition now? Can the deep spiritual life of one negate the shallowness of another? Can a few sit in unbiased judgment of the level of the spirit in others? Such questions continually plague us. The answers are not easy to find; perhaps there are none. But this we do know — that most of us find strength and comfort in worshiping and working together; that some are trying to use the talents given them to bring peace and respect to all men; that all hope, by living simple, clean lives, to be contributing something to the goodness of the world.

VASSALBORO QUARTERLY MEETING

Sunday Schools in most sections of the Quarterly Meeting are flourishing and well-attended. It is hoped that many of these young people will be increasingly active as they become more mature.

There is increasing responsibility on parts of many individual Friends and Meetings to assume active parts in the worship programs as our pastoral leadership grows older and pastors are unable to continue the heavy loads they have been carrying. Many feel that this has meant a deepening and spiritual growth within our Meetings, a new sense of oneness.

Friends from our Meetings have worked with or for Junior Yearly Meeting, the American Friends Service Committee, missions, and many other worthwhile causes both at home and abroad.

11. The Statistical Report was presented by the Recorder, Edward A. Manice. (See Tabulated Statement on pages 68-69.) New copies of the Yearly Meeting Directory are available to members of this Meeting.

12. It was suggested that a message of our love be forwarded to Caroline Woodman, now residing in Richmond, Indiana. It will be done.

13. It is surprising to Friends to realize the number of Friends in New England who are non-resident, it may be as high as one third. It is a concern of local Meetings to keep in touch with their members, it may be done by letter but new awareness of imaginative approaches must be explored and followed.

14. The Nominating Committee sent names for the Correspondence Committee which are approved.

Fourth Day Afternoon

15. A memorial was read for Forrest E. Wheeler.

MEMORIAL TO FORREST E. WHEELER

Forrest E. Wheeler, a prominent member of Worcester Friends Meeting, died in St. Petersburg, Florida, on November 23, 1960, at the age of 80. A graduate of Moses Brown School, he had attended Worcester Polytechnic Institute. He was a civil engineer on the Great Northwestern Railroad in Iowa and Montana before returning to Massachusetts in 1919. For 29 years he was associated with the Worcester Fire Insurance Company, serving as assistant secretary and Treasurer. He had been a member of the Worcester Economic Club, the Worcester County Mechanics Association, the Horticultural Society, and a president of the Mutual Fire Insurance Association of New England.

A devoted Friend, for many years he was clerk of the Worcester Meeting, also serving on the Permanent Board of New England Yearly Meeting and as a director of Oak Grove School. He had lived in St. Petersburg for the past ten years.

16. It was suggested that messages of loving sympathy be sent to our Friends, Arthur Jones and Myron Jenness, who are prevented from attendance due to critical illness. This will be done.

17. The Central Advisory Committee report was spoken to by Russell Brooks in the absence of Myron I. Jenness.

REPORT OF THE CENTRAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Our Committee organized at the time of Yearly Meeting and has met four times during the year. Three of our meetings have been very well attended and all have convened under a deep sense of our responsibility. We have asked the newly-formed Continuation Committee of the Yearly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel to cooperate with the Central Advisory Committee in assisting local meetings on Ministry and Counsel.

We have felt the need of the unifying effect that the itinerant ministers of the past have had on our meetings. We have invited Thyra Jane Foster to act in this capacity as way opens. To date she has visited several meetings. Arrangements were made for Stanley and Donna Aldrich to work in East Parsonsfield Meeting, more especially in Sunday School work.

The Central Advisory Committee, through our Field Secretary, made arrangements for a speaker at each of the Sunday morning meetings in North Sandwich, New Hampshire. This Meeting is open in summer months only. We have felt the need of Daily Vacation Bible Schools and have asked from several sources for volunteers to undertake this work. Our November meeting made an intimate study of many of our small and needy meetings.

We have directed our Field Secretary to visit colleges and seminaries where Friends are known to be studying and to encourage them and acquaint them with Friends Meetings in their areas and confer with them regarding work among Friends. The Committee has felt the responsibility we owe to new and other meetings. We have felt encouraged by our Field Secretary's reports as he has visited these meetings. Often members of our committee have been led to have a special concern for some particular meeting and have found a way to visit and encourage. We agreed to having our Field Secretary accompany visitors from the Friends General Conference and the Five Years Meetings in New England and help with their work as way opened.

There are some discouraging aspects in our work but there are more of a rewarding and encouraging nature.

For the Committee,

MYRON I. JENNESS, Chairman

18. The Representative Meeting sent forward the name of Ralph Cook for Reading Clerk for the remaining sessions with Gordon Browne as alternate.

19. A message from the Five Years Meeting of Friends recording our affiliation with the Friends General Conference was read.

20. The report of the Field Secretary was presented and the need for work with young Friends was underscored. This need was extended to include other Christian Education activities. Friends are asked to be aware of this need and to be alert to find a person who could carry out these duties. The Committee on Christian Education, Young Friends, Finance, and the Central Advisory Committees are asked to give this matter particular attention.

REPORT OF THE FIELD SECRETARY

During this past year your Field Secretary has visited throughout the Yearly Meeting, endeavoring to keep Friends informed on Yearly Meeting activities and concerns. Visits have been made to most Quarterly Meetings, some local meetings, and individuals in connection with meeting or committee business.

I have worked with some Yearly Meeting committees, Young Friends, and special projects and conferences. A major amount of time has been given to the China Camp Committee, negotiating the purchase of additional land and lake frontage for the Camp and helping with improvements in the Meeting House.

I traveled with David Henley of the Five Years Meeting in visiting students studying in New England, discussing with them possible service in Friends' work.

A visitation by Lawrence Mc. Miller, Jr. of the Friends General Conference to some meetings was arranged.

Outside New England I attended the Five Years Meeting, the Yearly Meetings' Secretaries Conference, Five Years Meeting Board Meetings, and a special meeting of Friends General Conference Friends discussing Quaker Outreach.

It is encouraging to see active Young Friends groups in some of our Meetings. However, I feel that we ought to give more attention to our Young Friends throughout the year. Our Young Friends are scattered and need someone to visit and help them realize growth and fellowship with other Young Friends. Working with Young Friends' groups and Sunday Schools could be a full-time job for a qualified person.

I recommend that the Yearly Meeting consider such a possibility and that the Christian Education, Young Friends, Central Advisory, and Finance Committees be asked to consider a program and possible persons for these purposes and report back to the Yearly Meeting.

There is a continuing need for Friends to take special responsibility in several areas besides committee work — pastors, Sunday School workers, vacation school workers, China Camp, Friends' Home, teaching, etc. Please tell me of your interest and availability for these or other meeting projects.

As we leave three hundred years of varied history behind, let us go forward, proclaiming our Christian faith and its implications for our lives today. We pray for inspiration and courage to speak of God and His will during the coming years in terms that will lead others to experience and live under God's Truth.

LOUIS MARSTALLER, Field Secretary

REPORT OF THE YEARLY MEETING OFFICE

The Yearly Meeting Office has been responsible for the editing, publishing, and mailing of four issues of THE NEW ENGLAND FRIEND in the past year. Committee notices, minutes of some committees, publicity for special events, and communications to monthly and quarterly meetings have been the work of the Office. Materials kept in supply by the Office have been mailed on request.

CLARABEL MARSTALLER, Office Secretary

21. The Yearly Meeting approves that Louis Marstaller be continued as Field Secretary and the location of the Yearly Meeting Office remain in Freeport, Maine with Clarabel Marstaller as secretary.

22. The Report of the Committee to Study Committee Structure was presented by Herbert Huffman. It will be considered at a later session for action but real appreciation for the work of this Committee was expressed.

23. The Report of the Mosher Book and Tract Committee was spoken to by Dorothy Averill, the Chairman.

REPORT OF THE MOSHER BOOK AND TRACT COMMITTEE

It has been a wonderful year of active and wide service for your Mosher Committee. Our output of fine books into Monthly and Preparative Meetings libraries has increased over last year, with over forty Meetings having received books. Our first concern is the development of good libraries in the Meetings throughout the Yearly Meeting.

Queries for Adults and Children have been supplied to many Meetings. Subscriptions have been renewed for Ministers and workers of the Yearly Meeting, to QUAKER LIFE; to the FRIENDS JOURNAL, and the English FRIEND, for Huntington-Dixon Home, and our two schools in Ramallah, Jordan. Books have been purchased for circulation by the Women's Missionary Society of the Yearly Meeting. Fifty dollars has been expended on books for China Camp. One hundred dollars was given Lily Shatara, to purchase new books in this country, for the Girls' School in Ramallah; Bibles and story books in Spanish were purchased for the Benito Juarez Orphanage, in Ciuadad, Victoria, sponsored by Protestant Churches, including Friends, in Mexico; and assistance of fifty dollars has been promised the Committee on Indian Affairs, for literature in Oklahoma centers.

DOROTHY JEAN AVERILL, Chairman

Fourth Day Evening

24. George and Ruth Castle from Western Yearly Meeting were welcomed.

25. The report of the Friends Council of Education was presented by David G. Paul. The scope of the work of the Council was described and the specific activities of the past year's work outlined. The Program for Teacher Training was recognized for degree credit at the University of Pennsylvania during this past year. This activity of the Council has been very valuable in helping new teachers in their first year of work.

26. The Beacon Hill Friends House report was presented by Ernest H. Weed. There have been twenty-six residents for periods of time long enough to make real contribution to the life of this household. Most of the persons there are graduate students with varying interests and backgrounds. This is a religiously oriented group with a First Day Meeting and activities growing out of concerns expressed by the group.

27. Woolman Hill Report was presented by Russell Brooks. Part of the program of this past year has been in the form of Retreats. These have had varying forms, to make plans, to find religious refreshment, to seek guidance for our daily lives. Other activities have been carried on that could enrich the work of individuals or committees. Elizabeth Boardman, Chairman of the Board of Directors, gave a progress report of long range goals for this Conference Center.

28. The report of Oak Grove School was presented by Robert E. Owen, one of its Principals. The year has been successful and concluded with graduation for twenty-seven members of a senior class that had been a particularly close knit group. The individuals of this class have received various honors and have placement in the colleges of their choice. Two international representatives of the school were introduced and presented artistic contributions to this report.

29. Plans for a New Friends World College were discussed by Lee Haring from New York Yearly Meeting. This challenging report brings a vision of an unusual opportunity for Friends. Funds are being raised for this project but the need

now is especially for guidance in the initial planning which is still being carried out. Margaret Warren also from New York Yearly Meeting added to our understanding of this courageous adventure.

Fifth Day Morning

30. The Correspondence Committee brought messages from several Yearly Meetings, read from their Epistles by Gordon Browne.

31. John and Berthamay Nicholson were welcomed from Philadelphia Yearly Meeting.

32. The report of Moses Brown School and Lincoln School was presented by Willard Ware, Chairman of the Committee. Mary Shaffner, Headmistress at Lincoln School, was introduced and she identified several members of the faculty who are present and happy to talk with Friends about the work of the School. The emphasis of this report is on Moses Brown School but full reports of both schools are available. During the past years reports from professional groups studying the School have been presented. These have been studied and work has gone forward following many of the suggestions made in these reports. Now appears to be the time to consider imaginative steps forward. There has been an effort to strengthen and encourage the faculty. The physical problems of managing a school that has increased in size of student body but not in classroom space during the past fifty years are real. The proposed steps do not anticipate enlarging the student body from the present figure of about five hundred students but to make the school ready to meet changing recommendations of school management, safety, and the daily needs of an active student body.

The School Committee requests favorable action on the part of the Yearly Meeting to release $300,000 from the unrestricted funds of Moses Brown School for use by the Development Committee in the construction of a new classroom building and modernization of present facilities. This request is approved by the Yearly Meeting.

Cautions on expenditure and size of student body were expressed and will be kept before the Committee.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON MOSES BROWN SCHOOL AND LINCOLN SCHOOL

Members of New England Yearly Meeting are interested in their schools. Some very actively and some less so, because they represent a responsibility and an opportunity handed down to us in this generation by dedicated forebears, to supply outstanding preparatory education, with Friends' flavor and influence. At present the schools represent the largest single undertaking of the Yearly Meeting, with valuable and extensive properties; with operating budgets totalling over a million dollars a year, and serving a student body of over nine hundred children and young people.

Even though we may critically assess the schools in Providence and feel they are not sufficiently "Friendly," it is significant that others consider the schools good in academic standing and also offering a quality of spirit and attitude toward the individual student not readily available anywhere. As a result, the pressure for admission to the schools is tremendous and about one out of four applicants can be accepted at Moses Brown this year. It is up to Friends to re-emphasize the principles for which they stand in education, and to make them even more observable to others. It is apparent in talking to many parents that they would be glad to go further in this direction, than we as Friends have been prepared to lead them.

Over the past eight years there has been much discussion about Moses Brown School, and its needs, both academic and physical. In 1954, the so-called Parkman survey was made with specific recommendations concerning the need for long range planning for the development of land and buildings, and for establishing priorities in moves to correct "present physical handicaps." In 1958 the Callard-Scattergood report pointed out serious inadequacies in the academic program and the quality of teaching. Much progress has been made in the past two or three years to put into effect some of the recommendations of this report. It should remain a guide book to the School Committee, Board of Trustees and administration, in re-establishing Moses Brown as a more distinctively "Friendly" school. In 1958 also, a study-committee was appointed from the School Committee, and the Board of Trustees, for long range planning, and another to study the Boarding Departments. In 1960 the Marts and Lundy organization was called in to study the possibilities for raising money in the community to improve the physical facilities of the school. And in 1961 a Development Committee has been selected, on the recommendation of both the Long Range Planning Committee and Marts and Lundy, to organize and conduct a financial campaign in 1962.

The steps forward in this program have been taken over the years, with a great deal of study and discussion, and with the final approval of the Board of Trustees and the School Committee. After two years of work and many meetings, the Long Range Planning Committee made this recommendation to the Board of Trustees and the School Committee in Tenth Month 1960. We "Approve the recommendation of the Marts and Lundy Report that a capital fund campaign for approximately $300,000 be planned for 1962 and that a Development Committee be appointed to prepare for and conduct this campaign . . . that if and when this campaign provides approximately $300,000 for objectives listed that the School Committee recommend . . . the release of $300,000 of unrestricted funds of the Moses Brown School for further improvements . . . It would be a good investment to use this amount of unrestricted funds for the modernization and preservation of these school properties for future use. It would also give expression to the desire of the Society of Friends to do their part in providing adequate modern facilities for Moses Brown School." This recommendation was approved by the School Committee in Tenth Month 1960.

Several younger Friends expressed the concern that Friends take the initiative in this situation, and that instead of following the proposal of the Long Range Planning Committee, Friends make use of unrestricted funds belonging to Moses Brown and apply them to the cost of constructing the new classroom building. This would allow the whole improvement program to be started nearly a year earlier, and would be followed by a capital funds campaign for other improvements, among parents, alumni and friends of the School. This recommendation of younger Friends was approved enthusiastically by the whole Board of Trustees and was sent forward to the School Committee. Here, too, it was unanimously approved.

Now the recommendation of the School Committee comes to the Yearly Meeting for final action. It asks that $300,000 of funds belonging to Moses Brown School, and donated over the years for school use for land, buildings, or equipment, be made available to expend for a new classroom building, as the first step in a long range program of modernization, improvement, and strengthening of school facilities. It is not the intent of the School Committee, Trustees, or administration to add much, if any, to the enrollment of the school, but to provide facilities for improved teaching and education.

WILLARD H. WARE, Clerk

Headmasters' reports from Moses Brown School and Lincoln School are available from the Yearly Meeting Office. Moses Brown School enrollment, September 1960, was five hundred three and Lincoln School enrollment was four hundred twenty.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR MOSES BROWN SCHOOL

Balance Sheet — Sixth Month 30, 1960

ASSETS

CURRENT			
Cash-Checking Account	$ 869.95		
Petty Cash	1,500.00		
		$ 2,369.95	
U. S. Treasury Bills		14,707.07	
Accounts Receivable (less reserve for Doubtful Accounts)		21,215.85	
Inventories		8,430.75	
Accrued Interest Treasury Bills		267.41	
			$ 46,991.03
FIXED ASSETS			
Real Estate and Buildings		455,493.97	
Furnishings and Equipment		130,938.48	
			$586,432.45
PREPAID INSURANCE		10,819.94	
Expense		3,092.75	
Sprinkler costs		21,246.07	
Survey-Marts & Lundy		1,250.00	
			36,408.76
			$669,832.24

LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL

ACCOUNTS PAYABLE		
Trade Creditors	$ 12,661.31	
Employee's Withholding, F.I.C.A. & T.I.A.A.	4,858.93	
Employee's Blue Cross	878.25	
Accrued Payroll Tax	939.07	
		$ 19,337.56
OTHER		
Special Funds	8,244.97	
Due Student Activities (Net)	1,586.02	
		9,830.99
PREPAID REGISTRATION FEES		22,100.00
RESERVES		
for Sabbatical Leave	1,373.63	
for Increases-Faculty Salaries	14,997.92	
		16,371.55

INVESTMENT AND SURPLUS		
Balance July 1, 1959	599,567.36	
Increase from Statement of Income and Expense	2,624.78	
		602,192.14
		$669,832.24

Statement of Income and Expenditures

Seventh Month 1, 1959 to Sixth Month 30, 1960

INCOME		
Resident and Day Students (net)	$421,781.31	
Lunches	25,254.30	
Midmorning Lunches	2,817.00	
Laundry and Infirmary	4,379.08	
FUND INCOME		
Scholarships	3,971.71	
General	13,900.27	
Books, Stationery, etc.	39,712.49	
MISCELLANEOUS	1,175.37	
Registration Fees Retained	400.00	
Interest-Treasury Bills	2,607.70	
Application Fees, etc.	1,530.00	
Tuition Refund Plan	1,310.55	
		$518,839.78
EXPENDITURES		
Administration	79,521.89	
Instruction	232,411.67	
Kitchen and Dining Room	85,323.95	
Maintenance and Housekeeping	81,764.50	
Incidental Charges to Students	36,797.99	
Headmaster's Discretionary Fund	395.00	
		516,215.00
Unexpended Income		$ 2,624.78

The attached Balance Sheet as of June 30, 1960 and the related Statement of Income and Expenditures have been prepared from the books and records as maintained for Moses Brown School and are in exact agreement therewith. We did not make a detailed audit of the records, but limited our examination to a general review of cash transactions and accounting methods in use.

CHRISTIANSEN AND COMPANY

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR LINCOLN SCHOOL

Balance Sheet — Sixth Month 30, 1960

ASSETS

CURRENT ASSETS:		
Cash	5,836.61	
Cash-Savings Accounts	3,603.64	
Short Term Invest. — U. S. Treas. Cert.	29,725.20	
Accounts Receivable	5,480.72	
Total Current Assets		44,646.17
FIXED ASSETS		
Gymnasium	106,223.01	
Hockey Field	54,502.30	
Mary Nichols Playhouse	34,245.61	
Main Building	246,534.37	
Dwight House	33,693.09	
New Lower School	229,900.85	
New Lower School Furniture	8,266.15	
Science Wing	18,537.05	
New Library	11,270.12	
Furniture and Equipment	38,523.46	
House—25 Blackstone Blvd.	14,504.00	
Pension Fund (Original)	49,916.37	
Pension Fund in T.I.A.A.	53,343.71	
Total Fixed Assets		899,460.09
TOTAL ASSETS		$944,106.26

LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL

CURRENT LIABILITIES:		
Loan Payable to H. G.	10,000.00	
Accounts Payable	2,394.19	
Notes Payable — Hospital Trust	14,700.00	
Withholding Taxes	3,212.60	
Social Security Taxes	721.99	
Gifts to School	93.86	
Books for Library from A. G.	13.03	
Prize Funds	81.38	
Lecture and Entertainment Fund	14.51	
Trustees' Library Committee Fund	89.52	
Charles H. Smith Library Fund	116.79	
Blue Cross Payable	573.00	
Owing from Edith Carpenter*	90.00*	
		31,920.87
RESERVE: For possible Bad Debts		$ 1,379.10

CAPITAL:		
Investment and Surplus —		
Balance June 30, 1959	880,309.68	
Gain from Operations	5,957.65	
Capital Funds transferred from A. G.	14,071.77	
Interest on Savings Account	267.19	
Capital Funds transferred from Dev. Fund	10,200.00	
		$910,806.29
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL		$944,106.26

Statement of Income and Expenditures

Seventh Month 1, 1959 to Sixth Month 30, 1960

TOTAL INCOME:		$373,090.71
EXPENDITURES:		
Administration	60,088.06	
Upper School	129,004.17	
Lower School	67,042.97	
Dormitory	12,364.78	
Dining Room	48,586.65	
Grounds	4,265.27	
Heat and Light	11,549.82	
Incidental Charges to Students	14,129.82	
Development Office Expenses	5,429.75	
Fire Alarm System	14,671.77	
TOTAL EXPENDITURES		367,133.06
OPERATING GAIN June 30, 1960		$ 5,957.65
		$373,090.71

*Red Figure

I certify that I have examined the attached Balance Sheet, as of June 30, 1960, and above Statement of Income and Expenditures for the period from July 1, 1959 to June 30, 1960, and that I have compared the Assets and Liabilities balances and Income and Expenditures with the ledger accounts and have found them to be in exact agreement.

CARL. W. CHRISTIANSEN

Fifth Day Afternoon

33. A letter has been received from Friends in Cuba to send greetings and sincere wishes to this Yearly Meeting. Appreciation for the visit of Robert Lyon is conveyed to us in this message. We are also reminded that on his return Robert

Lyon has been able to give a helpful service in keeping contact with the Cuban Yearly Meeting members when other communication has been difficult.

34. A Minute from Lisburn Monthly Meeting, Ulster Quarterly Meeting, and Ireland Yearly Meeting is presented to introduce Helen F. Campbell who has been in America this year studying at Pendle Hill.

35. The Nominating Committee's suggested appointments were approved for: Mosher Book and Tract Committee, Board of Auditors of the Property of the Yearly Meeting, Committee to Revise the Discipline, Committee on Care of Vaults and Records, Student Loan Committee, Committee on Five Years Meeting, Central Advisory Committee, Board of Managers of Investments and Permanent Funds, and Missionary Committee.

36. The report of the Missionary Committee was spoken to by Ruth D. B. White. She introduced Lily Shatara, a teacher from the Girls' School in Ramallah, Jordan and Benjamin Wegesa from East Africa. Benjamin Wegesa spoke of the rapid development in his country and the contribution of Friends to education and health there.

REPORT OF THE MISSIONARY COMMITTEE

Solomon Adagala, the first African to be appointed an educational supervisor in Kenya, visited a number of Meetings and China Camp. He is a member of East Africa Yearly Meeting and was a representative to Five Years Meeting last July. Elizabeth Jonitis showed pictures and told of the work and needs of our schools in Ramallah where she and Peter Jonitis had taught the previous year. For another special privilege, Cambridge Meeting was host to a meeting arranged by the Five Years Meeting Committee to hear Landrum Bolling, President of Earlham College. Lily Shatara, teacher at Ramallah, has visited a few meetings. Levinus Painter and Lawrence Pickard have told in a few meetings about work among the American Indians.

In addition to speakers, reading, study courses, films and Bible School lessons have been profitable in many meetings.

Most Meetings reported contributing their share to the New England Yearly Meeting budget, which in turn helps to support the work of the Five Years Meeting, including missions. However, since our budget does not include the full per capita share of the Five Years Meeting budget, additional contributions need to be made to Five Years Meeting if we wish to support this work in proportion to our membership.

Reports showed that Meetings have also given to the Special Funds for the Friends Hospital in Kenya and for Scholarships at Ramallah, Jordan, as well as to the following work which is not connected to New England Yearly Meeting or the Five Years Meeting: Red Cross, Salvation Army, Japan Missions, local needy families, Woolman Hill, the Lepers, Friends Committee on National Legislation, CARE, American Bible Society, The Meeting School, a missionary in South America, a Friends Meeting in South Africa, Church World Service, American Friends Service Committee, American Indians, both goods and money having been sent to the last three listed.

RUTH D. B. WHITE, Chairman

REPORT OF THE SUB-COMMITTEE ON FREEDMEN'S FUNDS

This year the Committee has increased college scholarships for graduates of Christiansburg Institute of Cambria, Virginia to $1000 so as to include a student in sociology at Hampton Institute. We are planning to help another student at Meharry Medical College in the fall.

Income from the Benjamin Knowles Fund is still waiting for a court decision before being available for use.

RUTH D. B. WHITE, Chairman

37. Marion E. Kelsey spoke of our concern for Indians and suggested ways to keep Friends informed of activities in that work.

38. The Associated Executive Committee of Friends on Indian Affairs requests our endorsement and asks us to send a representative to a Third Indian Seminar which will be held at Bacone College, Oklahoma, July 6-9, 1962. This is approved and referred to the Nominating Committee and the Finance Committee.

39. Caleb Smith, Marion E. Kelsey, and John Sullivan are asked to draft a letter expressing our concern for the National Government to be aware of our responsibilities of treaty rights with the Seneca Indians.

40. The Women's Missionary Society report was presented by Gertrude Lawrence. She introduced Ruth Castle, President of the United Society of Friends Women.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE WOMEN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY

As we consider 10 reports of the United Society of Friends Women in New England we note that about 150 constitute the active membership list. We realize that projects undertaken are aided and sometimes initiated by many unlisted Friends throughout the Yearly Meeting.

To see what a handful of women are doing, we study the report from Allen's Neck where 15 quilts and 200 pounds of clothing were sent to the American Friends Service Committee. Projects in our groups have included time and gifts to the AFSC, gifts to Africa, Indian Mission Centers, peace walks, vigils, Non-violent action especially at nuclear submarine bases, and missile bases, letter writing and temperance.

Children's projects have included UNICEF, aid for Africa both in Kenya and South Africa Friends Centers, the mitten tree for AFSC, and study of missionaries past and present in the First Day School.

In meetings with Friends who have reported on business and travel, we have heard about Africa, Ramallah, India. The need and desire for education is general, and the limitations great in all.

Among the needs remembered in the financial gifts of the nine-member Amesbury Mission group of women has been Africa, American Indian Mission Centers, Leprosy, Palestine, Tennessee, Keys to the Kingdom fund, Picard Summer Camp, Friends African Hospital.

Others report women active also in Peace, in Daily Vacation Bible Schools, and in Temperance. The principal missionary education for children has been periods in the First Day Schools, in Youth Fellowship, and in public meetings. In Lynn a six weeks course was conducted in the Sunday School by Gertrude Lawrence. May we look forward to greater use of the Missionary Advocate with its excellent accounts from our Quaker teachers in far away lands.

The fear and horror of war, and preparations for war that must never come, and the perverted use of materials and products from the earth constitutes much of the great tragedy of our times. To go forward we must have a gospel for the poor by which we live; we must serve God by using all Truth that has been and is being discovered; We must take away from the violence of nature by obedience to God as revealed in Jesus, and by the Spirit of Truth. This is tremendous and vital. False advertising, the traffic in alcohol which kills, maims and curses to the 10th generation nullifies many good intentions. Only by cultivating a tender regard for mankind may we hope for peace.

GERTRUDE LAWRENCE, President
GRACE F. LUDER, Corresponding Secretary

41. The Friends Committee on National Legislation sent Lawrence White from its office in Washington, D. C. to tell of the work that is currently being done. This brings up many issues that are of vital concern and we are grateful for the work that they can do for us in this area. Last Year an additional worker, Stuart Innerst, was sponsored by special funds called the "Friends in Washington Program." It is requested that he be continued as a part of the regular staff. Our support is not adequate for this. It is approved that the matter should be referred to the Finance Committee.

42. The Committee to Revise the Discipline report was presented by George Selleck. The Yearly Meeting approves the request for it to continue its work.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE TO REVISE THE DISCIPLINE

The Committee to Revise the Discipline can make only a progress report at the present time. We have met several times during the past year and find that much more is involved than we expected. Our charge, as we have understood it, is to make the changes necessary to bring our Discipline up to date before having a new printing made, especially in view of the fact that the edition of 1950 is running low.

We realize that much more work is involved before we can report our task completed. We hope to have something much more definite in another year.

GEORGE A. SELLECK, Chairman

43. The Report of the Meeting School was presented by George I. Bliss. Eleven students were graduated at the Concluding Meeting of the year. Most of these students will go on to college. The Administration of the School is pleased with the success of the use of Friends' business procedure as a way of handling school affairs. Increasingly this is deepening the confidence of the community in the School and the life of the students and faculty. An experiment with an inter-session period of less structured study is being considered for the coming year.

44. The Student Loan Committee report was presented by Florence Selleck. It was decided by the committee that two outstanding loans, on which interest has been paid over a long period, should be forgiven. Authority to do this was granted by Minute 46, Recommendation 14, 1960.

REPORT OF THE STUDENT LOAN COMMITTEE

The Student Loan Fund, first established in 1898 with the setting aside of seventy-five dollars by the Committee on Education and subsequently augmented by donations by individuals and appropriations from the general account, continues to make loans to students who are members of New England Yearly Meeting. These loans are expressly intended for education at the college level or for work in professional or summer schools.

At the present time there are twelve outstanding loans with one additional loan repaid in full during the past year. On seven of the twelve loans payments on the principal as well as interest have been made since June 1960. No new loans have been issued during this past year. The financial condition of the fund is found in the report of the Treasurer of the Yearly Meeting.

FLORENCE M. SELLECK, Secretary

45. Deon Jackson, Susan Trout, Mervin and Marguerite Briggs and their daughter, Barbara, were welcome visitors from Portsmouth, R. I., Ohio Yearly Meeting, (Damascus).

Sixth Day Morning

46. The Correspondence Committee presented excerpts from several epistles. The plans for the formation of Australia Yearly Meeting were noted with especial interest.

47. Appreciation for the fresh flowers that we enjoy each day has been expressed. Hattie O. Cox has taken thoughtful care of their arrangements.

48. A letter to John F. Kennedy, President of the United States, in connection with the treaty negotiated with the Seneca Indians in 1794, was approved. It will be given circulation in the press as well as this direct communication. It is called to our attention that individual letters would appreciably heighten the effect of this letter.

June 24, 1961

President John F. Kennedy
The White House
Washington, D. C.
Dear Mr. President:

New England Yearly Meeting of the Religious Society of Friends (Quakers), assembled at Brunswick, Maine for its three hundredth anniversary session, is deeply concerned that the United States has plans which involve breaking the treaty negotiated with the Seneca Indians in 1794. These plans distress us particularly because this treaty, which was of very real importance to the United States in those times when the British in Canada were stirring up the Indians against our young country, was signed by the Senecas only after assurances from the Quakers that the United States would live up to its obligations under the treaty.

As you know, the Kinzua Dam would flood most of the best land in the Seneca Reservation — land which the treaty of 1794 guaranteed to the Senecas in perpetuity. The flood control purposes of the dam could be achieved in ways which would not break the treaty. According to some engineers these plans would provide more adequate flood control and would also be cheaper. These plans should be given careful and impartial study. Even if such study reveals that the cost of the needed flood control would be greater under the alternative plan, the sanctity of the treaty of 1794 should be upheld and the extra cost assumed.

We were encouraged by the interest which you expressed in this matter during the campaign last fall. The time has come for presidential action to stop the building of the Kinzua Dam. We urge you to intervene to uphold the good faith of the United States in this matter so that there can be no occasion for anyone to say that, "You can't trust the United States to honor its treaties."

Signed in and on behalf of
New England Yearly Meeting of the
Religious Society of Friends,

GEORGE I. BLISS, Clerk

MIRIAM E. JONES, Recording Clerk

49. Roberta G. Selleck will be in Finland next year. She hopes to attend Sweden Yearly Meeting and will carry a minute from this Meeting.

50. Minutes or endorsements will also be prepared for Friends who plan to attend Friends World Committee Sessions in Kenya, British East Africa. These Friends are; Thomas R. Bodine, Caleb Smith, Harvey and Julianna Perry.

51. The report of our treasurer, F. Warren Howe, Jr., indicated the need for each one of us to consider more carefully the important work we have not fully supported during the past year. His work has been carefully carried out and we appreciate his accurate reporting.

REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF NEW ENGLAND YEARLY MEETING

Sixth Month 1st, 1960 through Fifth Month 31st, 1961

Summary of Budget Account

Budget contributions from Meetings	$ 19,462.50
Total Budget adopted Sixth Month, 1960	24,600.00
Amount received from Meetings last year	18,995.43
Percentage increase of receipts from Meetings this year over last	2.4%
Total budget expenses	22,790.41
Percentage of budget actually received (including income from investment funds, Women's Missionary Society, Etc.)	91.06%
Total budget receipts	22,401.23

RECEIPTS

Receipts for Budget:

Receipts from Meetings

Connecticut Valley	
Guilford	$ 140.00
Hartford	1,384.50
Middle Conn. Valley	500.00
Middletown	100.00
New Haven	400.00
Monadnock	125.00
	$2,649.50
Dover	
Dover (Monthly Meeting)	
Dover Part. Mtg.	120.50
Gonic	184.64
Rochester	0.00
Weare	27.50
	$ 332.64
Falmouth	
Durham	1,241.15
Falmouth (Oak Street)	799.30
Forest Avenue	150.00
Parsonsfield	0.00
Sandwich	220.00
Windham	132.45
	$2,542.90
Northwest	
Burlington	102.00
Hanover	269.50
	$ 371.50
Rhode Island	
North Dartmouth	300.00
Providence	1,950.00
Westerly	500.00
	$2,750.00
Salem	
Amesbury	108.50
Cambridge	3,550.00
Lawrence	600.00
Lynn	360.00
Wellesley	600.00
	$5,218.50
Sandwich	
Allen's Neck	$ 310.00
Dartmouth	
(Smith's Neck)	250.00
New Bedford	
Monthly Meeting	129.90
Preparative Meeting	444.00
Long Plain	64.00
Mattapoisett	366.95
Rhode Island	0.00
Sandwich	
Monthly Meeting	100.00
East Sandwich	0.00
West Falmouth	250.00
Yarmouth	100.00
Swansea	
Swansea Preparative Mtg.	300.00
Fall River Preparative Mtg.	300.00
Westport	100.00
	$2,714.85
Smithfield	
Bolton	248.00
Smithfield	360.06
Worcester	660.00
	$1,268.06
Vassalboro	
China	440.00
Maple Grove	0.00
North Fairfield	174.00
Oak Grove	300.00
Vassalboro	458.55
Winthrop	242.00
	$1,614.55

Total Received From Meetings	$19,462.50

Quarterly Meeting Per Capita Giving For The Budget

	Members	Per Capita	Total
Connecticut Valley	456	$ 5.81	$ 2,649.50
Dover	215	1.55	332.64
Falmouth	411	6.19	2,542.90
Northwest	76	4.89	371.50
Rhode Island	260	10.58	2,750.00
Salem	755	6.91	5,218.50
Sandwich	496	5.47	2,714.85
Smithfield	270	4.70	1,268.06
Vassalboro	286	5.64	1,614.55
	3225	$ 6.03	$ 19,462.50

Total Received from Meetings	$ 19,462.50	
Income Received from Invested Funds	1,591.48	
Received from Women's Missionary Society	640.00	
Sale of Yearly Meeting Minutes	223.00	
Special Contributions	484.25	
Total Budget Receipts		$ 22,401.23

Miscellaneous Receipts:

Central Advisory Committee		
Income from invested funds	$ 109.95	
Easement — Cape and Vineyard Electric Co.	196.00	
		$ 305.95
Friends Committee on National Legislation — for Stuart Innerst		1,078.00
General Equalization Fund — contributions		926.23
Mosher Book and Tract Committee — income from invested funds		560.27
Printing Discipline — receipts from sale of discipline		89.30
Sarah N. Pope Dixon Trust Committee — income received from Provident Trust Co. of Philadelphia		4,390.94
Student Loan Committee		
Interest on loans	89.99	
Interest on deposits	225.19	
Repayment of loans	926.21	
		$ 1,241.39

S. B. Kirby Fund — income from invested funds		80.34
H. Camp Fund — income from invested funds		32.73
J. P. & J. A. Boyce Fund — income from invested funds		36.89
B. F. Knowles Fund — income from invested funds		863.82
George Sturge Fund — income from invested funds		893.68
Anna Brown Fund — income from invested funds		258.56
Camp at China, Maine — contributions		1,470.00
Transit Accounts:		
Received gifts for the following purposes:		
Melcher Estate — for Lincoln School	$ 2,764.68	
Christian Education Committee for Olaf Hanson	62.50	
Christian Education Committee for Laboratory School	215.00	
New England Friends Home — Special	715.76	
Peace and Social Concerns Committee	15.75	
Identification Badges — Windham	5.00	
Friends General Conference	53.00	
		$ 3,831.69
Total Miscellaneous Receipts		$ 16,059.79

EXPENDITURES

Budget Expenses:	Budget	Actually Expended
For Activities of Five Years Meeting	$ 6,000.00	$ 6,000.00
Five Years Meeting Expenses	2,900.00	2,900.00
For Yearly Meeting Activities		
Committee on Peace and Social Concerns	450.00	57.99
Committee on Christian Education	300.00	251.75
Junior Yearly Meeting	200.00	203.28
Friends Committee on National Legislation	200.00	200.00
Friends World Committee and Fellowship Council	350.00	350.00
Young Friends Committee	250.00	240.00
Central Advisory Committee	300.00	38.75
Missionary Committee	85.00	15.00
Vault Committee	25.00	25.00
Huntington-Dixon Home Committee	1,500.00	1,500.00
China Camp Committee	100.00	100.00

Travel Expenses for Representatives of Yearly Meeting to A.F.S.C., Friends World Committee and Fellowship Council, F.C.N.L., Five Years Meeting Boards, and Friends General Conference		300.00	175.95
Friends General Conference		50.00	50.00
Representatives to Five Years Meeting		115.00	114.77
Eighth Meeting of Friends World Committee (Kenya 1961)		500.00	300.00
Field Secretary			
Salary		3,500.00	3,500.00
Travel		1,800.00	1,699.66
Telephone		0.00	64.13
Retirement Plan		350.00	350.00
Office Expense			
Salary	1,200.00		
Rent	200.00		
Incidentals	610.40		
		2,300.00	2,060.23
Expenses of Yearly Meeting Treasurer		375.00	334.51
Printing and Distribution of Yearly Meeting Minutes		1,100.00	996.00
Friends Tercentenary Committee		550.00	445.22
Expenses of Yearly Meeting Sessions (Including entertainment of visiting Friends)			
Printing	128.75		
Yearly Mtg. share of Bowdoin College bill (including hospitality to visiting Friends)	288.25		
Miscellaneous	226.17		
Clerk	75.00	800.00	718.17
Friends Council on Education		100.00	100.00
Total Budget Charges		$ 24,500.00	$ 22,790.41

Miscellaneous Expenses:

General Equalization Fund:

Authorized payments to Bowdoin College	720.89	
Postage	7.50	
		$ 728.39

Mosher Book and Tract Committee		
Ramallah	100.00	
Subscriptions to QUAKER LIFE	33.50	
Books for Meetings	255.18	
Subscriptions to FRIENDS JOURNAL	10.00	
Mexico Friends Service	50.00	
Labels, etc.	20.49	
Subscriptions to London FRIEND	14.00	
Indian Affairs	50.00	
		$ 533.17
Sarah N. Pope Dixon Trust Committee		
To Huntington-Dixon Home		4,390.94
Student Loan Committee		0.00
Wayside Pulpit Fund		
Subscriptions		31.00
George Sturge Fund		
Christiansburg Institute for Scholarship		1,000.00
J. P. and J. A. Boyce Fund		
Christiansburg Institute for Scholarship		0.00
Real Estate Fund:		
1960 taxes paid		40.80
Transit Accounts		
Forwarded gifts received as follows:		
Friends General Conference	50.00	
Friends General Conference Meeting House Fund	3.00	
New England Friends Home	715.76	
China Camp	1,470.00	
Melcher Estate — Lincoln School	2,764.68	
F. C. N. L. — Stuart Innerst salary	1,078.00	
Peace and Social Concerns Committee	15.75	
Olaf Hanson — visit	91.00	
		$ 6,188.19
Bowdoin College (to complete rooms and meals payments in excess of funds deposited at college)		218.40
Total Miscellaneous Expenses		$ 13,130.89
Balance on hand, Sixth Month 1st, 1960	$ 22,299.41	
Budget receipts	22,401.23	
Miscellaneous receipts	16,059.79	
		$ 60,760.43
Budget Expenses	22,790.41	
Miscellaneous Expenses	13,130.89	
		35,921.30
		$ 24,839.13

On hand, Fifth Month 31st, 1961		
Yearly Meeting Budget Account	1,560.81	
Central Advisory Committee	432.27	
General Equalization Fund	2,554.07	
Mosher Book and Tract Committee	915.15	
Student Loan Committee	10,419.70	
"Wayside Pulpit Fund"	30.00	
S. B. Kirby Fund	438.82	
J. P. and J. A. Boyce Fund	72.54	
Christian Education Committee	215.00	
H. Camp Fund	110.51	
B. F. Knowles Fund	5,020.00	
George Sturge Fund	698.22	
"Printing Discipline Fund"	650.85	
Anna Brown Fund	1,401.19	
Real Estate Fund	155.20	
Field Secretary Retirement Fund	220.00	
Income Taxes Withheld	43.80	
		$ 24,938.13
Less Adverse Balances		
"Quakerama" Publishing Fund	49.00	
Petty Cash	50.00	
		$ 99.00
		$ 24,839.13
Industrial National Bank of Providence, Checking Account		12,172.00
Five Prepaid shares Cumberland Savings & Loan Association Portland, Maine		1,000.00
Roger Williams Savings and Loan Association		8,087.91
Savings Account, Provident Institution for Savings in the Town of Boston		3,579.22
		$ 24,839.13

Note A: Room and board receipts at Bowdoin College were deposited with the College Bursar during the 1960 Yearly Meeting Sessions and therefore are not included in this report.

FUNDS HELD BY NEW ENGLAND YEARLY MEETING AS TRUSTEE FOR RHODE ISLAND MONTHLY MEETING OF FRIENDS

Balance Sixth Month 1st, 1960			$ 13,331.51
Receipts:			
Dividends:	Newport National Bank	$ 206.25	
	Industrial National Bank	450.45	
	Savings Bank Interest	408.20	
			1,064.90
Total Receipts			$ 14,396.41

Expenditures		
Insurance premiums	296.31	
Repairs to Portsmouth Meeting House	229.67	
		525.98
Balance Fifth Month 31st, 1961		$ 13,870.43
The Savings Bank of Newport (7 accounts)	$ 10,230.22	
Rhode Island Hospital Trust Co. (savings account)	266.02	
Industrial National Bank (savings account)	1,762.02	
Industrial National Bank (checking account)	1,612.17	
		$ 13,870.43

Securities held:

231 Shares Industrial National Bank
75 Shares Newport National Bank

F. WARREN HOWE, JR., Treasurer

52. John Kellam explained in detail the report of the Finance Committee. The budget and recommendations were approved with two adjustments.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE
NEW ENGLAND YEARLY MEETING OF FRIENDS

The Finance Committee again appreciates the helpfulness of committee chairmen in submitting their budget early. Due to special circumstances this year the annual audit of the Treasurer's accounts could not be done before this date, but is expected to be done very soon. A simplified accounting system was recommended by the special committee appointed last year and has been approved by the Finance Committee and installed by the Treasurer who reports his complete satisfaction with it. We recommend that the Yearly Meeting give recognition by letter to James F. Keegan, a certified public accountant of Providence, for his valuable assistance on this special committee and in helping the Treasurer to install the new system. We note that the Committee on Moses Brown School and Lincoln School expects to supply space at Moses Brown School for the Treasurer's work and records, and to provide occasional stenographic service in connection with this work. We have appointed Robert E. Owen as our Chairman for this coming year.

A year ago we were able to report a surplus of $1,158; this year we must report a deficit of $389. The difference in our operating record is therefore $1,547. If this were to be reflected exactly, we would budget that much less this year. However, our budgetary receipts were actually $298 over last year, and we trust that a sufficient increase in giving will occur so that our full program can proceed. We have therefore decided to recommend a budget totalling slightly over $24,000 again this year.

The recommendations of this Finance Committee are:

1. That the following budget for 1961-1962 be adopted:

For Activities of the Five Years Meetings	$ 6,000.00
For Expenses of the Five Years Meeting	2,900.00
For Yearly Meeting activities:	
Committee on Peace and Social Concerns	450.00
Committee on Christian Education	300.00
Junior Yearly Meeting	200.00
Young Friends Committee	250.00
Central Advisory Committee	200.00
Missionary Committee Expenses	75.00
Vault Committee	150.00
New England Friends Home Committee	1,500.00
China Camp Committee	100.00
Friends Committee on National Legislation	200.00
Friends World Committee and Fellowship Council	350.00
Travel Expenses for representatives of Yearly Meeting:	
To meetings of American Friends Service Committee, Friends World Committee and Fellowship Council, Friends Committee on National Legislation, Five Years Meeting Boards and Friends General Conference.	300.00
To Five Years Meeting (held in reserve)	200.00
Field Secretary:	
Salary	3,750.00
Retirement	375.00
Travel Expense	1,800.00
Yearly Meeting Office expense	2,300.00
Expenses of Yearly Meeting Treasurer	450.00
Printing and distributing Yearly Meeting Minutes	1,000.00
Expenses of Yearly Meeting sessions including entertainment of visiting Friends	1,000.00
Friends Tercentenary Committee	300.00
Friends General Conference	150.00
Friends Council on Education	100.00
Contingencies	50.00
	$ 24,450.00

2. That the expense of the Yearly Meeting be contributed to on a voluntary basis. Each Meeting should include in its budget such amount as it feels is its proper share of the Yearly Meeting Budget. Each member should feel his responsibility for these expenses and contribute such sums as he is able to his own Monthly Meeting Treasurer.

3. That copies of these recommendations of the Finance Committee be sent by the Yearly Meeting Office to the Clerks of the Quarterly, Monthly and local Meetings in time for presentation at their next sessions.

4. That the Monthly Meetings be requested to send funds for the budget of the Yearly Meeting to the Yearly Meeting Treasurer monthly, the final payment to be made before Fifth Month 15, 1962.

5. That F. Warren Howe, Jr. be appointed Treasurer of the Yearly Meeting.

7. That Edward A. White, H. Seymour Wiley, Henry C. Foster and Seth K. Gifford II be appointed as auditors, and any two of them be authorized to audit the accounts of the Treasurer of the Yearly Meeting at the close of the coming year.

8. That of the funds contributed to the Yearly Meeting, the Treasurer be authorized to set aside approximately one third to be sent to the Five Years Meeting for our contribution to it, and the balance used proportionately for the Yearly Meeting expenses and activities. The Treasurer will, as always, use designated funds for the use specified.

9. That the Presiding Clerk of the Yearly Meeting and the Chairman of the Committee on Arrangements, acting together, be authorized, in the exercise of their judgment, to approve the payment of charges for the entertainment of visiting Friends coming from a distance to attend sessions of the Yearly Meeting.

10. That the Committee on the Five Years Meeting be at liberty to ask for special gifts for the Five Years Meeting work, to be sent directly to the Five Years Meeting office in Richmond, where gifts will be credited to New England Yearly Meeting. Such gifts to be over and above and not to be included or recorded as part of the budgetary funds raised by the Yearly Meeting. The giving of such special gifts will not relieve us of our responsibility to support the regular budget.

11. That the Equalization Fund Committee, the China Camp Committee and the New England representatives on the Friends Committee on National Legislation be permitted to appeal directly to the members of the Yearly Meeting for funds, and that the New England Friends Home Committee be permitted to appeal directly to the members of the Yearly Meeting for building funds until their present campaign is completed, but that all other Yearly Meeting Committees be requested not to do so without first obtaining the approval of the Finance Committee.

12. That the Yearly Meeting Clerks be instructed to request each Monthly Meeting to inform them as to the number of copies of Yearly Meeting Minutes they desire.

JOHN R. KELLAM, Chairman

53. The Clerks and the Field Secretary are requested to explore the possibility of reducing the cost of printing by finding a new method of duplication which would still preserve clarity in a suitable form.

54. The Meeting appointed F. Warren Howe, Jr. as Treasurer for one year and until his successor is appointed.

55. The report of the Board of Managers of Investments and Permanent Funds was presented by Willard H. Ware. This work has been carefully done and it is appreciated. Concern was expressed that as well as management of these funds the use of funds should be considered. Friends are aware of the caution needed in this area.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF MANAGERS OF INVESTMENTS AND PERMANENT FUNDS

Nine regular meetings of the New England Yearly Meeting of Friends Board of Managers of Investments and Permanent Funds have been held since the last Yearly Meeting with its advisory counsel.

The following officers were appointed for the ensuing year: Willard Ware, Chairman; Edward White, Treasurer; E. Harold Jernquist, Clerk and Assistant Treasurer.

The books of the Board of Managers as well as the Treasurer's report for the year ending Twelfth Month 31, 1960 will be audited by Christiansen and Company, certified public accountants. Their report will be submitted with that of the Board of Auditors of the Yearly Meeting and will be available for examination.

WILLARD H. WARE, Chairman

56. William and Mabel Kantor, and George Otto and his son Jonathan from Philadelphia Yearly Meeting were welcomed to our sessions.

57. The Nominating Committee sent forward names for the following committees which were approved: the Permanent Board, the Equalization Fund Committee, Young Friends Committee, Committee on Moses Brown School and Lincoln School, Friends World Committee, American Section and Fellowship Council, the Committee to Study Committee Structure, Central Committee of the Friends General Conference, China Camp Committee, the Committee on Peace and Social Concerns, Committee on Arrangements, Committee on Christian Education, and American Friends Service Committee, Inc.

It was recommended by the Nominating Committee and approved that the clerk of the Yearly Meeting and the Clerk of the Permanent Board be members of the Central Committee of the Friends General Conference. It was also recommended and approved that the Clerk of the Yearly Meeting be an ex officio member of the Permanent Board during the terms of his office and for one year thereafter.

It was recommended and approved that the following special committees be laid down: the Committee on Planning for Friends Tercentenary in New England and the Committee for Quaker Peace Witness.

58. It is suggested that a message of love and appreciation be sent from this Meeting to Lyra T. Wolkins, who has for many years served the Yearly Meeting so faithfully and well.

59. The Board of Auditors of the Property of the Yearly Meeting presented its report. It was accepted and made available at the Clerk's desk. This report is available at the Yearly Meeting office.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF AUDITORS

June 5, 1961

The financial report of the Board of Managers of Investments and Permanent Funds for the calendar year 1960 has been audited as customary by Christiansen and Co., Certified Public Accountants. We have reveiwed the report and prepared therefrom the following summary of Funds under their care.

Fund	Book Value of Fund	Cost of Securities held	Income earned in 1960	% yield on Cost Value
Moses Brown Pooled fund	$511,033.69	$534,717.57	$ 29,902.52	5.60%
Yearly Meeting Pooled fund	146,272.47	112,162.98	5,440.52	4.85%
Moses Brown Special fund	215,405.90	245,221.41	10,888.89	4.44%
Lincoln School Fund	201,900.71	277,355.53	12,732.12	4.58%
Yearly Meeting Special fund	34,001.43	37,444.58	1,758.23	4.69%
Huntington Dixon Home Fund	9,732.60	10,433.88	497.98	4.77%

The long standing deficit condition in the Yearly Meeting Pooled Fund is continuing to correct itself slowly, with the market value of securities held for it at December 31, 1960 amounting to $133,441.29, or about 90% of the amount necessary to pay out in full. Income based on the Fund Book Value of $146,272.47 would be approximately 3¾% which could be considered a fair investment return under today's conditions.

We would commend the Investment Board for their efforts in handling our investments.

Your auditors have not made any examination of the Special Friends Home receipts or disbursements, feeling that this should await the final close of the solicitation for contributions, and the completion of the alterations and improvements at the Hingham property. We recommend that next year's Board of Auditors have this account in mind when performing their duties.

For the Board of Auditors, CHESTER C. SMITH, J. FRANKLIN PINEO

60. The report of the New England Friends Home was presented by Ruth D. B. White with an opportunity for questions. It is with regret, that we realize that nursing care is not anticipated in the new Home at this time. The cost of this service seems too great.

The Clerk and the Treasurer were authorized to take steps to free funds raised for "Whittier Cottage," a project anticipated before plans for the Hingham Home were known.

REPORT OF THE NEW ENGLAND FRIENDS HOME COMMITTEE

This year has been one of transition from the Huntington-Dixon Home, which will soon be moved from its present location in Amesbury, Massachusetts, to the New England Friends Home in Hingham, Massachusetts. Actual construction of the necessary alterations began on May 1st, and we hope to be able to move into the new Home by about the first of October.

Much time this year has been spent in preparation for and in carrying out a program for raising the necessary funds for the building alterations. We decided that it was essential to get professional assistance for our Fund Drive. Accordingly, William A. McClennan Associates was hired, and the drive got under way in the latter part of March. The response has been most generous. We are very grateful for the wonderful support we have received from so many Yearly Meeting members. More than $75,000 has been subscribed. We hope that the number of contributors will continue to increase as time goes on.

A number of the residents have left the Home in Amesbury during the course of the past year. New applicants have delayed making plans to enter the Home until after it moves to Hingham. A number of applications and inquiries have been received for admission after the Home is moved, and we expect that the Home in Hingham will be filled by the end of this year. Miss Carol Walker, who served as matron faithfully and happily for two years, left us in March, and an old friend of the Home, Mrs. Ethel Josephson, has agreed to fill in until we are able to find a director who will take over in September and be in charge of the new Home when it opens. The Committee wishes to express its thanks and appreciation to all those who have been so helpful in the

Fund Drive this year. We are at all times open to suggestions and assistance from members of the Yearly Meeting.

FINLEY H. PERRY, Chairman

HUNTINGTON-DIXON HOME TREASURER'S REPORT

First Month 1st, 1960 to First Month 1st, 1961

Balance on hand, First Month 1st, 1960			$ 5,530.86
Receipts:			
Regular Boarders		$ 10,147.24	
Transients		115.26	
Sarah N. Pope Dixon Trust		4,100.00	
Board of Managers of Investments and Permanent Funds:			
John Currier Fund	$ 72.13		
Alice L. Dow Fund	3.61		
J. B. Farnham Fund	90.17		
S. A. & I. J. Hall Fund	36.06		
J. W. Hanson Fund	137.05		
L. E. Hill Fund	168.54		
C. E. & A. B. Hoag Fund	96.77		
Huntington Home Fund	36.06		
Perez Peck Memorial Fund	18.04		
M. S. Wood Fund	18.04		
A. J. Goddard Fund	49.83		
C. E. & A. B. Hoag Fund #2	74.75		
Huntington Home Endowment Fund	100.08		
Ruth E. Osborne Fund	149.49		
Ruth E. Swallow Fund	86.91		
White Addition, Peck Fund	24.91		
		$ 1,162.44	
Interest and Dividends		14.00	
Gifts		150.00	
New England Yearly Meeting		1,000.00	
Miscellaneous		6.15	
TOTAL RECEIPTS			$ 16,695.09
TOTAL			$ 22,225.95
Expenditures:			
Provisions		$ 2,743.24	
Matron and Helpers		7,720.00	
Utilities			
Gas	$ 71.55		
Electricity	457.39		
Telephone	141.45		
Laundry	175.29		
Water	97.22		
Oil	1,022.46		
		$ 1,965.36	

House furnishings and supplies	137.74	
Repairs	171.27	
Insurance	372.21	
Miscellaneous	1,053.82*	
TOTAL EXPENDITURES		$ 14,163.64
Balance on hand, First Month 1st, 1961		$ 8,062.31

*This Miscellaneous total includes $540.00 as payment of one tenth of the fund-raising campaign fee for the Hingham location of the Huntington-Dixon Home.

Audited by HELEN V. PARKER
March 6, 1961

PAULINE R. AINSWORTH, Treasurer

61. The report of the Committee on Care of Vaults and Records follows.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON CARE OF VAULTS AND RECORDS

Progress has been made in discovering the resources and needs of the Yearly Meeting archives in the Vault at Moses Brown School. Thyra Jane Foster continues to put in much time as a volunteer assistant to the custodian. For two days last winter Thomas Bassett, a trained archivist, investigated the facilities for storage and use of our Yearly Meeting records at the school and his excellent report has been, and will be, of great help. The chairman, also, has conducted firsthand investigations, largely brought about by renovations at the school which raised the possibility of potentially valuable Quaker books and pamphlets becoming displaced and lost.

The Committee recommends:

1. That the Yearly Meeting budget a fund of $150.00 to pay members of the Moses Brown School staff for extra time spent in making the vault records available to Friends. We have been providing $25.00 annually for this, but the demands are increasing from many different directions.

2. That provision be made for starting a special fund to which contributions may be made for the construction of an adequate library, either in the present building (which is scheduled for renovation as the school expands its facilities, eventually) or in a separate building.

ROBERT N. COOL, Chairman

62. The work of Helen Paxton, Custodian of our records, and her assistance in the preparation of the Historical Exhibit at these sessions was recognized and our warm thanks go to her.

REPORT OF THE VAULT CUSTODIAN

During the year 1960-1961 use of the Vault has increased steadily. In addition to numerous genealogical queries, there have been research questions from Columbia, Yale, Swarthmore, the Essex Institute of Salem, etc. Doris Mowry of the Smithfield Monthly Meeting has been working on records relating to the Mendon Monthly Meeting. Thyra Jane Foster has given much time toward establishing a system of cataloguing recent donations. The Vault has received from Freeman Scales, Amherst, Massachusetts, books, catalogues, and tracts of interest to Friends.

For close to a decade the Vault has been hampered by lack of space for ever-increasing donations. The valuable Vault collection deserves to be housed in more convenient and commodius surroundings.

HELEN J. PAXTON, Custodian

Sixth Day Afternoon

63. The report of the American Friends Service Committee was presented. Robert Hindmarsh, Chairman of the New England Regional Office, addressed the Meeting on the responsibility we must accept for the state of the world and our responsibility to youth who are hostages in our time. He described some of the programs that open new areas of understanding for all people. He challenges us "not to back into eventful history."

64. We welcome George Badgley, Secretary of New York Yearly Meeting, and his mother, Agnes Badgley; Orion and Lynn Sherwood. Orion Sherwood has been a teacher at the Meeting School. Lynn Sherwood is a member of New York Yearly Meeting.

65. The report for the Friends World Committee was presented by Julianna Perry. Visitation, care of unaffiliated Meetings, consultation and encouragement of persons in the Wider Quaker Fellowship are all parts of this Committee's activity.

Our attention is especially turned to the triennial meeting to be held in Kaimosi, British East Africa, in late August. About sixty Friends from the United States expect to attend.

66. The naming of Julianna R. Perry as a delegate to the Friends World Committee meeting in Kaimosi with Harvey C. Perry, alternate, has been noted.

67. Frances Gove reported for the Committee on Christian Education. At the time of the report it seems that five Friends will attend the Laboratory School in North Carolina.

REPORT OF THE CHRISTIAN EDUCATION COMMITTEE

The Christian Education Committee feels the year of 1960-61 was a very full year, full of inspiration and much progress.

In October, Olaf Hanson from the Friends Central Offices was a guest in New England. She visited five meetings alone and then your Chairman joined her to visit ten more meetings. It was a very interesting and helpful tour for many reasons, especially in highlighting problems and sharing solutions to these problems. One thrilling experience was the aid we were able to give at South Yarmouth where a new First Day School was launched. Also many meetings created Committees for Christian Education which they had not considered necessary before. Several meetings decided to adopt Friends' material, both from Five Years Meeting and Friends General Conference.

Another innovation which we carried over from the previous year was meeting in several parts of New England: Northwest, Providence (stormed out), Maine, and Dover, New Hampshire as well as Cambridge. This made it possible for more members to meet together and is a custom we are sure will be carried on.

Our Committee has been studying methods by which the Alternative service and conscientious objector programs can be presented to our youth on a wider scale. Too many of the high school age group do not even know such programs exist. Two of our Committee are working on this project.

Your Chairman attended the Board Meetings at Richmond in April where Benjamin Wegesa was introduced and also attended the Religious Education Executive Committee of General Conference in May. This Board is bringing out several new publications this year. A couple of new pieces of curriculum are being "sample taught" in some of our schools this year. This is a new type of adventure in teaching which should be interesting.

Junior Yearly Meeting is following the lead of the adults in exploring the "Business of Our Lives," with the aid of many Friends who are giving their time and skills and love in this field. Lily Shatara, visitor shared by Junior Yearly Meeting and the Missionary Committee is a student at Columbia University. Lily is a teacher at Ramallah Girls' School.

FRANCES GOVE, Chairman

68. The Committee to Study Committee Structure has prepared a revision of a chart presented earlier. This is to be carried into action by the Central Advisory Committee. With this understanding the plan is approved. A shortened version of the Committee report is presented herewith. The detailed report is available at the Yearly Meeting Office.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE TO STUDY COMMITTEE STRUCTURE IN THE NEW ENGLAND YEARLY MEETING

To New England Yearly Meeting of Friends:

The Committee to Study Committee Structure presents herewith its report in condensed form. The full report which was adopted in its entirety by the Yearly Meeting, includes not only that which follows herein, but the definition of responsibilities for the various Yearly Meeting committees and recommendations concerning certain specific problems, and is on file in the Yearly Meeting Office. The full report is available for all concerned.

The investigations conducted by the Committee to Study Committee Structure show that our existing Yearly Meeting committees represent valid areas of work which are compatible with Friends' responsibilities and concerns. There is little to be recommended by way of elimination or reduction of committee functions. The problem appears to be that of systematizing and co-ordination.

It is recommended, therefore, that the program committees of the Yearly Meeting shall be co-ordinated under four departments: (1) **Finance Department**. This department shall consist of the following committees — the Finance Committee, Auditors of Permanent Funds, the Equalization Fund Committee, and the Investments and Permanent Funds Committee. (2) **Education Department,** consisting of the following committees — Christian Education Committee, Young Friends Committee, China Camp Committee, Mosher Book and Tract Committee, Moses Brown School and Lincoln School Committee, Student Loan Committee, and Vaults and Records Committee. In addition the representative of the Yearly Meeting to the Friends Council on Education shall be a member of this Department, and the following independent organizations shall each be entitled to one representative who is a Friend — Oak Grove School, Meeting School, Cambridge Friends School, Beacon Hill Friends House. (3) **Peace and Social Concerns Department.** The committees in this department are — Peace Committee, Social Concerns Committee, and

New England Friends Home Committee. The representatives of the Yearly Meeting to the American Friends Service Committee and the Friends Committee on National Legislation shall also be entitled to one representative each on this Department. (4) **The Outreach Department.** Committees in this department are — the Missionary Committee and Meetings and Extension Committee. Representatives of the Yearly Meeting to each of the following organizations are entitled to one representative each — the Five Years Meeting, the Friends General Conference, Quaker Men, and Friends World Committee. In addition, the following independent organizations are invited to send one representative each who is a Friend — the Women's Missionary Society and Woolman Hill.

The Yearly Meeting also appoints Standing Committees and Special Committees as need may arise. These are separate from the program committees which are arranged in the four departments as set forth above. A chart of the Yearly Meeting Committee Structure, which shows the relation of the Committees to each other, and to the Yearly Meeting as a whole, is included in this report.

Membership in each of the various departments consists of the chairman or clerk, or a representative, of each of the constituent committees, one representative from each of the specified institutions and organizations, and three members at large appointed by the Yearly Meeting to each of the departments for terms of three years, one term expiring each year. Each department is requested to organize with a chairman or clerk, and secretary.

It is intended that only departments shall report to the Yearly Meeting. Committees are asked to report in writing, annually to their departments with copies to the Yearly Meeting office. Committee reports shall then be made available in mimeographed or other form at Yearly Meeting sessions. The department report to the Yearly Meeting shall be inclusive of all committee reports, and, in presenting their reports to the Yearly Meeting, departments may wish to give time to a committee whose work should receive special notice of the Yearly Meeting.

The role of the department is that of co-ordinating the work of its member committees, and that of providing general leadership for the Yearly Meeting in its broad sphere of responsibility. We consider it advisable for departments generally to meet as frequently during the year as may be practicable in order to keep the work of committees co-ordinated through departmental contacts and improve communications with one another, as well as to keep the work of the Yearly Meeting vital, responsive to Friends' growing concerns, and moving forward toward the fulfillment of Yearly Meeting aims. In the larger sense, however, it is hoped that departments will each recognize and develop the fact that they represent a focal concern and responsibility of Friends. In view of this supremely important consideration, it becomes a matter of central importance that the members of each department recognize that the work of their department is more than committee routine, and that the Yearly Meeting, in asking them to serve in such an assignment, is earnestly requesting that thought and leadership be given to the implications and potentialities for spiritual growth that are inherent in their department's area of responsibility.

We recommend that the Yearly Meeting allocate a period of each year's annual session to the consideration of the basic witness of one of the departments. The purpose of such consideration by the Yearly Meeting may be, with the leadership of the department, to re-define the aims and mission of the department in fresh forms of thought and terminology. The Yearly Meeting may find it useful to draw a Minute which would embody the weight of Yearly Meeting concern in view of the fresh thinking and new understanding which have arisen from such consideration.

In preparation, the departments should produce a "Working Paper" to assist the Yearly Meeting in its thought upon the subject, and which may serve as the basis of any statement that the Yearly Meeting may wish to adopt. This "Working Paper" should be carefully and thoughtfully composed, concerned only incidentally with programs in operation, but more especially with larger matters of basic ideas and responsibilities, as well as new emphasis and directions which the Yearly Meeting should consider in the light of the changing human scene and our growing understanding of the Divine Will.

We recommend that the Central Advisory Committee be replaced by an Executive Council, except as to functions assigned to the Meetings and Extension Committee. The Executive Council shall be comprised of nine members at large, appointed by the Yearly Meeting for three years, three of the terms expiring each year, the chairman or clerk or a representative of each of the Departments, the Clerk of the Yearly Meeting, the Clerk of the Permanent Board, the Clerk of the Meeting on Ministry and Counsel and the Field Secretary, ex-officio. It is suggested that Department representatives to the Executive Council be members of Yearly Meeting Committees, and it is intended that each Quarterly Meeting shall have at least one representative on the Executive Council. In instances where a Quarterly Meeting is not otherwise represented, the Clerk of the Quarterly Meeting, or a member designated by the Quarterly Meeting, shall also be a member of the Executive Council. We recommend that the Arrangements Committee be appointed by the Executive Council, and responsible to it. The Executive Council shall have immediate supervision over the work of the Yearly Meeting Recorder, and of the Field Secretary and of any other employees of the Yearly Meeting; and it shall be the co-ordinating agency of the total program of the Yearly Meeting.

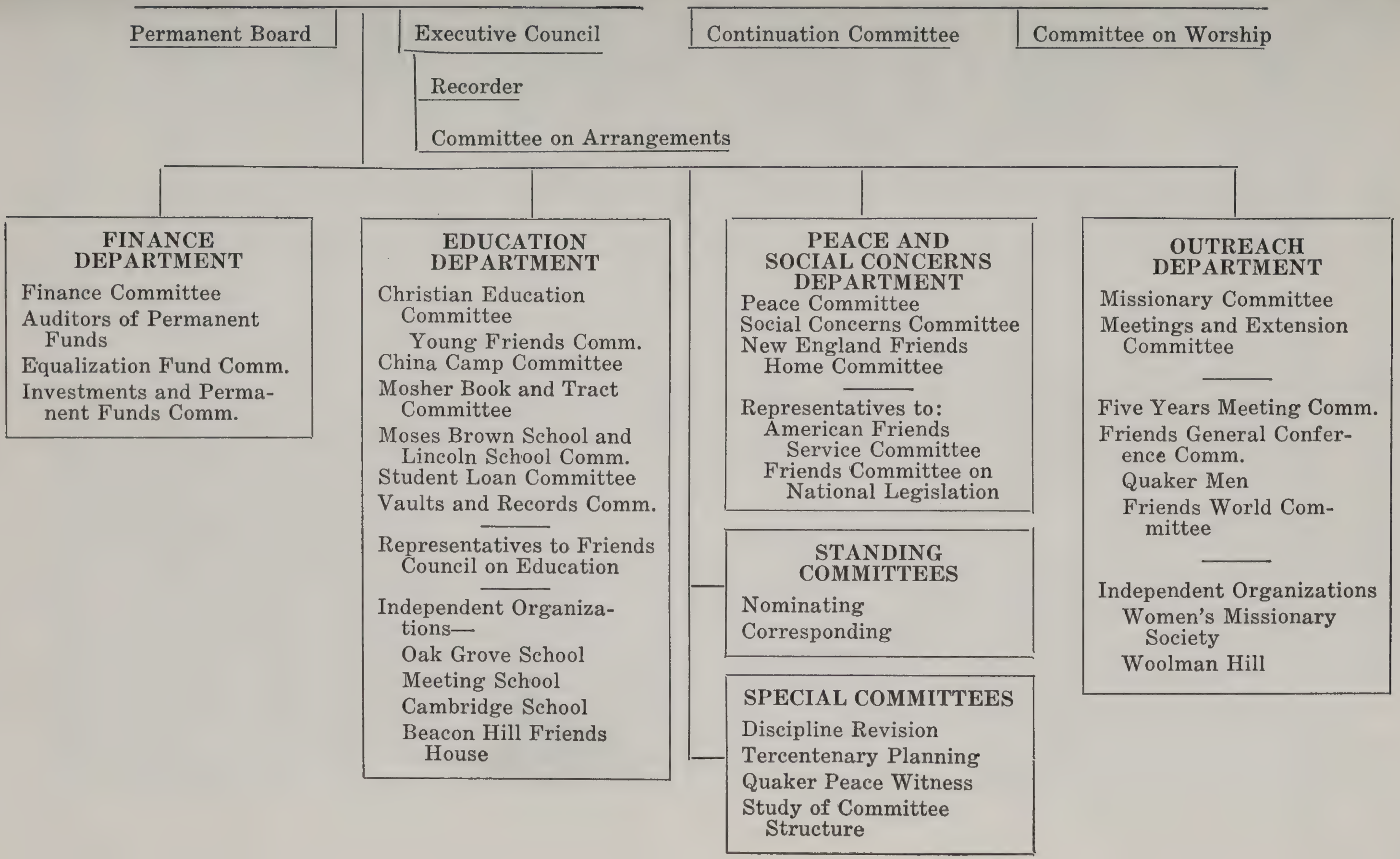
It is recommended that the Yearly Meeting appoint two new Program Committees: (1) **The Social Concerns Committee** in the Peace and Social Concerns Department. The recommendation that such a committee be appointed arises from the fact that issues concerning the Quaker Peace Testimony are of such magnitude and urgency as to require the full attention of one committee. Questions related to other Social Concerns are also of such importance as to merit the close attention of a separate committee. (2) **The Meetings and Extension Committee** in the Outreach Department. The functions of this committee have previously been under the care of the Central Advisory Committee. It is our judgment that the potentialities in the field of service for this Committee are of such importance as to warrant the appointment of a committee whose duty it will be to develop a broad program in this area of work.

In order to help the committee work of the Yearly Meeting get under way, it is recommended that the Yearly Meeting consider the assignment of its second business day to the category of a working conference. Under this plan, the day's activities could alternate between extended committee sessions, and general meetings of the Yearly Meeting. Time should also be included, later in the session, for a meeting of the various departments. It is desirable that the department chairman be ex-officio members of all committees within their departments, and the Clerk of the Yearly Meeting and the Field Secretary be made ex-officio members of all Yearly Meeting departments and committees, and of the Permanent Board.

In conclusion, we feel it important to say a word about the primacy of the spiritual life over all organizational arrangements. Above all else, it is important that Friends seek earnestly to "know one another in that which is eternal," and assiduously to labor in the love of the spirit to overcome all differences that may divide us, and through tender regard one to another find that unity among us, which is the fruit of Christ's Spirit among those that love Him. Let it be borne in mind that the work of the committees can be, when kept close to spiritual roots, a medium through which Divine Guidance is in a real sense mediated.
Submitted on behalf of the Committee,

HERBERT S. HUFFMAN, Chairman

NEW ENGLAND YEARLY MEETING — MEETING ON MINISTRY AND COUNSEL



Permanent Board

Executive Council

Recorder

Committee on Arrangements

Continuation Committee

Committee on Worship

FINANCE DEPARTMENT

- Finance Committee
- Auditors of Permanent Funds
- Equalization Fund Comm.
- Investments and Permanent Funds Comm.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

- Christian Education Committee
  - Young Friends Comm.
- China Camp Committee
- Mosher Book and Tract Committee
- Moses Brown School and Lincoln School Comm.
- Student Loan Committee
- Vaults and Records Comm.

Representatives to Friends Council on Education

Independent Organizations—
- Oak Grove School
- Meeting School
- Cambridge School
- Beacon Hill Friends House

PEACE AND SOCIAL CONCERNS DEPARTMENT

- Peace Committee
- Social Concerns Committee
- New England Friends Home Committee

Representatives to:
- American Friends Service Committee
- Friends Committee on National Legislation

STANDING COMMITTEES

- Nominating
- Corresponding

SPECIAL COMMITTEES

- Discipline Revision
- Tercentenary Planning
- Quaker Peace Witness
- Study of Committee Structure

OUTREACH DEPARTMENT

- Missionary Committee
- Meetings and Extension Committee

- Five Years Meeting Comm.
- Friends General Conference Comm.
  - Quaker Men
  - Friends World Committee

Independent Organizations
- Women's Missionary Society
- Woolman Hill

69. The Yearly Meeting welcomes Lawrence and Viola Scott from Philadelphia Yearly Meeting. Lawrence Scott was formerly the director of the Vigil at Fort Detrick and is now active with the Committee for Non-Violent Action.

Sixth Day Evening

70. The Meeting welcomes the members of the Institutional Service Unit of the American Friends Service Committee at the Pineland Hospital at Pownal, Maine who are attending this meeting.

71. The Junior Yearly Meeting has had a full program of worship, study, activity, and recreation. They have prepared letters carrying their concerns to some world leaders.

JUNIOR YEARLY MEETING EPISTLE

Dear Young Friends,

The New England Junior Friends met at Bowdoin College for the three hundredth anniversary session from the 20th to the 25th of June.

The morning activities for both Juniors and Junior Highs were: Worship, where several adult members attended; business Meeting; singing; Bible study; "What is the Business of Our Lives?"; projects and preparing for our Quakerama, a play depicting the history in the three hundred years that the New England Yearly Meeting has annually met.

The afternoon program consisted of special interest groups such as Crafts, Service, Orchestra, Chorus, and Nature Study. Crafts and Service members prepared articles for refugees overseas and retarded children.

Later in the afternoon, Juniors and Junior Highs grouped together for swimming and sports.

In the evening, special programs were put on, such as the film, "The Language of Faces," which included portions of the Peace Vigil at Washington, D. C. Benjamin Wegesa told us of his native country, Kenya, and taught us songs and games that the African children sing and play.

On the third day after Yearly Meeting convened, both Juniors and Junior Highs attended a picnic at nearby Durham Meeting.

We have enjoyed the comradeship, the various activities, and the devotional periods immensely, and hope that you benefit from your sessions in Junior Yearly Meeting as we did in ours.

On behalf of the New England Junior Yearly Meeting.

GERALD BLISS, Presiding Clerk RUTH TOPHAM, Recording Clerk

72. Benjamin Wegesa, a member of East Africa Yearly Meeting, presented his minute at this time. The meeting approves the endorsement of this minute with appreciation for his visit.

73. Margaret Bainbridge presented the Young Friends report and Virginia White read their epistle.

YOUNG FRIENDS' REPORT

New England Young Friends met this year at Bowdoin College in Brunswick, Maine. Benjamin Wegesa, Peter and Suzanne Day, and several guest speakers were our leaders. Our main theme was race relations. Suzanne and Peter Day, who have been working with these problems, were able leaders. We discussed what action we can individually take to improve conditions in our communities.

Young Friends felt the need for thought and discussion on possible standards for membership in Meeting and on revision of the Queries to apply better to Young Friends. Committees were organized to carry out these ideas.

Benjamin Wegesa, a Friend from Kenya, spoke to us about young people in Africa. He has been travelling throughout the United States, visiting schools and youth groups in order to gain greater understanding of this country as well as to broaden our knowledge of Kenya.

Other discussions were concerned with the work of the Friends Committee on National Legislation and with the present situation in Cuba. We decided to send a special greeting to Young Friends in Cuba, expressing hopes for better understanding between their country and ours. We also decided to try to find some means of helping a number of Cuban Young Friends who have expressed the desire to attend college in the United States.

We are very grateful to our many outstanding discussion leaders for stimulating our minds with ideas and substantial ways to utilize them.

Our officers for next year are: Clerk, Elizabeth Chambers; Recording Clerk, Martha Burgess; Treasurer, Eric Greene.

Young Friends Report Committee,

ELIZABETH BASSETT, MARTHA BURGESS, JOHN ALEXANDER, RICHARD SIFFERLEN

YOUNG FRIENDS EPISTLE

Dear Young Friends,

Greetings from Young Friends New England Yearly Meeting. We met this year at beautiful Bowdoin College in Brunswick, Maine. The accommodations provided were more than adequate.

This week, June 20-25, 1961, has been a full and exciting one. We have had various speakers in our discussion groups. Among these have been Lawrence White from the Friends Committee on National Legislation, Daryl Kent from Guilford College, North Carolina, and many other interesting and distinguished people.

Benjamin Wegesa, a young Quaker educator from Kenya, has spent the entire week with us, speaking about educational and social conditions in this country. Young Friends all over the United States financed his trip through the country.

Peter and Suzanne Day, Friends from State College, Pennsylvania Monthly Meeting, have worked in the field of race relations. They led several interesting discussion groups on problems concerning race relations and integrated housing in addition to providing leadership during the week.

Every night we had square dancing called by Ralph Smith from Providence. Although exhausting, we enjoyed every minute of it.

Throughout the week we have had many varied activities such as swimming at White's Beach, step singing and others which every one enjoyed.

The week proved to be an educational, enjoyable and all-around wonderful experience.

On behalf of Young Friends New England Yearly Meeting.

MARGARET BAINBRIDGE, Presiding Clerk
MARTHA BURGESS, Recording Clerk

74. Friends work in Kenya has been carried on since 1902. Benjamin Wegesa, in expressing his appreciation for this work, spoke clearly about the needs that have been met and the plans that are being made. There is a great need for teachers, for books and for material with which to study.

The changing position of women has evolved slowly but has had a deep effect on the entire culture of the area. The Church has had a great deal to do with this change by educating women. The far-reaching effect of even one educated woman in a community is greater than we can comprehend.

A new role for the Church may come in political action. We cannot estimate what it may be. There are many different tribes to consider and no leader acceptable to the whole country yet. Will the Church be ready for this leadership?

Seventh Day Morning

75. The epistle for this Meeting was read by Henry B. Williams. Deep appreciation for this letter, which will be forwarded to Friends around the world, is expressed and it is approved.

GENERAL EPISTLE OF NEW ENGLAND YEARLY MEETING

Sixth Month 20-25, 1961

The New England Yearly Meeting to Meetings of Friends over the World — Greetings:

We are gathered on the Bowdoin College campus at Brunswick, Maine, to observe the three hundredth anniversary of the first General Meeting of Friends in New England, and to honor those whose lives before us laid the true base of our Society on these sometimes inhospitable shores and turned, by patient loving-kindness, hate into respect and respect into true regard.

The lives, thoughts and acts of these forerunners of ours in the Yearly Meeting summon us to emulation in a world now vastly changed but still filled with challenge and opportunity. We are concerned with **means** rather than **ends** for the end was charted for us long ago — it is the establishment of the kingdom of Our Heavenly Father in Earth! We are given only the present moment for the work in the Lord, and in that moment, if we are centered down to this "business of our lives," we are guided and strengthened in the love of the Lord.

Confident that God's revelation of Himself and His Will for us is not complete but continuing, in our sessions we have sought new dimensions for our ministry, new patterns of organization for our work, new opportunities in our schools, new fields for Christian education and outreach, new ways to witness and to work for peace. And in this seeking it has become clear to us that our best plans, our most efficient organization, our cleverest techniques are without virtue, indeed may be corrupted to evil, unless they are infused with a love which knows no enemy, seeks no reward, admits no fatigue or discouragement and finds inspiration without end in that Divine Love which it reflects.

Therefore we pray:

O Lord, let our love reach out across the ages that separate us from our forebears, and the experiences that divide us from our children, across the miles that separate us from our Friends and the abysses of fear and ignorance that divide us from our enemies. Let it reach out with that confident touch that says, "We are One, Indivisible," for "Have we not all one Father; Did not one God make us all?" Malachi 2:10.

Signed in and on behalf of New England Yearly Meeting of Friends,

GEORGE I. BLISS, Clerk MIRIAM E. JONES, Recording Clerk

76. Daniel E. and Anna Coppock Houghton and their sons, John and Harold Cary, are welcomed to our sessions from Baltimore Yearly Meeting.

77. The report of the work of the Friends General Conference was spoken to by Thomas R. Bodine. Friends who have worked with this group were introduced individually and a large group of Friends rose to indicate their work with Friends General Conference materials.

Action started at our last session, forwarded to the Cape May Conference, is being considered now by the World Council of Churches on the question of Capital Punishment. We are represented by E. Raymond Wilson in this matter and will be represented in New Delhi, India, Third Assembly of the World Council of Churches by Samuel Levering.

George Otto spoke of the outreach of the Friends General Conference and emphasized that the method or material used is not important but asked us each to know that we ourselves may be the instrument by which the message is carried.

Ellen Paullin, who has led group singing at Cape May Conferences, directed us in singing one of the beautiful hymns with lines by John G. Whittier.

REPORT OF FRIENDS GENERAL CONFERENCE

A printed report of the work and program of the Friends General Conference for the past year is available. Do look it up! It tells the story of a lively Quaker organization to which New England Yearly Meeting now belongs. The report takes the form of prepared answers to some of the traditional Queries Friends have put to themselves and tells of the work of religious education, advancement, peace and social order, education, Christian Unity, and the Cape May biennial conference. It concludes with this quotation from the advices of Philadelphia Yearly Meeting:

"... Friends are advised to keep in mind that right actions arise only from the right Source within. Activities which come out of a spirit of busyness or of self-importance ... are deadening and should be distinguished from deeds inspired by God's Spirit of Love and Truth working in the heart."

THOMAS R. BODINE, for the Representatives

78. The Five Years Meeting Committee presented its report. We are especially fortunate to have among us in these sessions S. Arthur Watson, who is Clerk of the Five Years Meeting. His messages have inspired us to closer attention to the relation of God and man.

The steadfast faith of Cuban Friends was made real by Robert Lyon who has recently attended Cuba Yearly Meeting. His report is arresting to us who may be complacent and unsure of how we can help. There are ways and some are financial. Juan Sierra and his family are ready to spend some time in Mexico this summer for contact with Friends Meetings there and the American Friends Service Committee Units. There is a list of Young Friends who are ready for continued education in the United States. They are well prepared but lack funds for transportation and educational expense.

Russell Rees laid before the Meeting the concern for uncommitted members of our Society, the children. Through education and example we must reach them.

REPORT OF THE FIVE YEARS MEETING COMMITTEE

The major part of the wider service of New England Friends is through the combined efforts of several yearly meetings in the Five Years Meeting. The encouragement of new meetings at home and abroad could not be so effectively done by any one body, as by all working cooperatively. Educational materials and the monthly magazine, QUAKER LIFE, unite our common interests. The work of the Five Years Meeting, therefore, is one of our clearest evidences of full Quaker concern. Through its six different boards, upon each of which are representatives from this body, aspects of our common concern are expressed.

The Board of Missions has its largest effort in East Africa. Working with the largest yearly meeting in the world, we are in a dramatically urgent situation trying to establish the mind of freedom, before political freedom is despoiled by paganism, ignorance and disease. The growth of the work has been largely inspired by the efforts of East African Friends; their effective service must be matched by our suport. In Cuba and in Jordan are hot and cold revolution. Cuban Friends have shown much wisdom. In Jordan the time is not far away when local Friends must accept full responsibility for the two Friends Schools: nevertheless there is insufficient financial strength to carry on without our help. Friends' work in Mexico, though for some years dormant, offers continued opportunity for friendly interest. In Jamaica, schools and meetings grow slowly but surely — happy the community whose history evolves steadily without revolution.

The Board on Evangelism is undertaking a significant service in helping Friends meetings to introduce non-resident members to the meetings in their new environment. The effectiveness of this service will depend upon the vigilant cooperation of each local monthly meeting.

The several yearly meetings supporting the Five Years Meeting have with increasing generosity contributed to the common service.

ASKING BUDGET OF FIVE YEARS MEETING FOR 1962

This is about 20% increase over last year.

Missions	$194,830.00
Christian Education	32,080.00
Peace and Social Concerns	11,720.00
Evangelism and Church Extension	14,750.00
Christian Vocations	14,800.00
Stewardship and Finance	14,500.00
General Services and field work	36,649.00
Central Office building	15,437.50
QUAKER LIFE	14,300.00
Sessions of Five Years Meeting	3,000.00
National Council of Churches & World Council	1,150.00
Reserve	1,000.00
TOTAL	$354,217.50

The program this budget encompasses will not be fully implemented until the Yearly Meetings indicate sufficient support by their budgets.

MABEL G. BAILEY, Chairman

79. The Representative Meeting presented the following report. It is approved.

REPORT OF MEETING OF REPRESENTATIVES

The Representatives to the Yearly Meeting report the following nominations for Clerks and officers to serve the Yearly Meeting during the coming year:

Presiding Clerk:	George I. Bliss
Recording Clerk:	Miriam E. Jones
Reading Clerk:	Gordon M. Browne
Reading Clerk:	Thomas Bassett
Recorder:	Edward A. Manice

Signed on behalf of the Meeting of Representatives,

GEORGE A. SELLECK

The Clerks are to serve for one year and until successors are appointed.

80. The Nominating Committee recommends appointment to the following committees which are approved: New England Friends Home Committee; representatives on Friends Committee on National Legislation, Quaker Men, Friends Council on Education, Board of Directors of the Massachusetts Council of Churches, State Board of the United Church Women of Massachusetts, and the Third Seminar on Indian Affairs.

81. Marion Jessell and Jane Burgess have visited the Junior Yearly Meeting and carried our greeting to them.

82. This message from the Junior Yearly Meeting was read:

> On behalf of the Junior Yearly Meeting we would like to express our sincere thanks to the adult Friends, especially those who attended and spoke at our worship each morning. Also we would like to express our appreciation to those who have worked with us during our classes this week.

GERALD BLISS, Clerk RUTH TOPHAM, Recording Clerk

Seventh Day Afternoon

83. The report of the Arrangements Committee is a tentative one expressing the desire to continue their work because it does not seem wise to return to Brunswick, Maine. We authorize the Arrangements Committee to arrange for a time and place of meeting in 1962.

84. The report of the China Camp Committee was spoken to by Richard Gove.

The Deed for additional property was presented to the Clerk by Louis Marstaller. There is land adjacent to the Pond Meeting House property and a strip of land leading to a shore front area which we are very happy to own. This is recorded in Augusta, Maine, Kennebec County, Registry of Deeds, Book 1225, page 350.

REPORT OF THE CHINA CAMP COMMITTEE

The China Camp Committee organized June 25 for the season of 1960 with Richard Gove, Chairman, Hazel Meyers, Secretary, and George Cates, Treasurer. Friends China Camp was directed by Arnold and Phebe Look, who have a great interest and experience in working with young people.

Campers had an opportunity to do some boating since Arnold Look had two boats on the lake. However, only after passing severe swimming tests were the campers allowed in boats alone. Arnold Look reported that Camp spirit was very good, and most campers would have been happy to stay longer than two weeks. Two welcome visitors at Camp were David McAllester and Lawrence Pickard, both of whom brought a message to young Friends. The seniors asked for more spiritual experience and expressed a desire for resource leaders for discussion groups.

The new bunk house was built by Lewis Moody, Ambrose Meyers, Arnold Look, Richard Gove, and others. The Senior campers built bunks in this cabin and shingled the roof. The buildings at China Camp now are:

Two buildings equipped with modern plumbing,

Four bunk houses, holding a total of twenty four bunks,

One small cabin with a double bed and two bunks that can be used as an infirmary,

The main building is used as kitchen, dining room, and large Day room. Some day we hope to have a fire place here.

Arnold and Phebe Look will be our camp directors for the 1961 camp season.

We appreciate the help of Friends who have contributed financially, and those who have given of their time to assist us in so many ways. We received some needed furniture from Oak Grove School and many smaller items from others, for which we are thankful. The Committee deeply appreciates the untiring efforts of Louis Marstaller who guides us to success. We have been able to purchase land adjacent to the present Camp and a strip across the road, leading to the Lake and fifty feet of shore front property.

RICHARD S. GOVE, Chairman

85. The report of the activities of the Quaker Men was read.

86. The Committee on Peace and Social Concerns read a message to Friends in Cuba which will go out with the Clerks' signatures. A letter also was read which will go to Heath Rush, a Young Friend now in jail in Mississippi for his conscientious stand with "Freedom Riders."

There is a request that two members of the Peace and Social Concerns Committee and four members of the Yearly Meeting at large be named by the Nominating Committee to attend the Friends National Conference on World Order, October 23-25, 1961.

Lawrence Scott, who is a leader in the program of direct action, addressed the Meeting. He gave the central thought of direct action as dependence on the Spirit for inspiration, strength, energy, endurance, and communication. He urged us to be ready with a constructive program to move forward as way opens even when it seems necessary for us to find new avenues to open the way.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON PEACE AND SOCIAL CONCERNS

The Committee on Peace and Social Concerns cooperated with the Friends Coordinating Committee on Peace which had already started action on the Vigil in Washington, and much of the Committee's stress and efforts the next few months were placed on this Quaker witness. Letters were sent out to Monthly Meetings offering speakers, both before the Vigil and after. For the many who went from New England to Washington, there seemed to be a real spiritual reawakening, and a contagious enthusiasm was very evident among them.

The Five Years Meeting in July also served to give the Committee more than the usual impetus to start off its year. At the specific request of Five Years Meeting, and because the Committee felt its importance so keenly, we sent a member of our Committee as a representative to a conference conducted by the Friends Coordinating Committee on Peace at Pendle Hill in May.

The interest in Crime and the Treatment of Offenders is growing steadily, and the committee has continued to support this concern. It undertook the purchase and mailing to all Monthly Meetings of the special issue of the FRIENDS JOURNAL which was devoted to Penology. It has also increased its financial support of the Continuation Committee of the Conference on Crime and the Treatment of Offenders.

An itinerary was planned by the committee for Lawrence White, Assistant Administrative Secretary of the Friends Committee on National Legislation, to cover as many meetings as possible in a two-week period in March. In connection with this, the committee acted as co-sponsor for "Prospects for Peace on the New Frontier," a discussion and workshop day put on by the Friends Committee on National Legislation in Cambridge, also in March.

The committee's concern of the critical tension between our country and Cuba prompted the drafting of a letter which was sent to the President of the United States, the Secretary of State, and to the Congressmen from each state in New England.

Wholehearted endorsement, both spiritually and financially, as in the past, has again been given the Avon Institute, Friendly Crossways, and China Camp.

Purposely, the committee has not met quite as often this year because of great travel distances, but the spiritual growth of the group has been manifest. We are deeply concerned that we must reach individuals in Monthly Meetings, and feel that it is only through our own awakening that can come another's awareness of the great opportunities for advancement toward peace and social justice.

ELIZABETH L. JONES, Chairman

87. Arthur and Marion Silver of Baltimore Yearly Meeting (Homewood) were welcomed. Arthur Silver has been a clerk of Baltimore Yearly Meeting.

88. At least sixty Friends from New England went to Washington, D. C. for the Peace Witness last fall. Countless others supported this action in differing ways.

89. It is suggested that a loving message be sent to Annie Rose from this Meeting.

90. Appreciation for work of Several Friends who have given valuable help to the Committees of the Yearly Meeting was expressed: Lyra Wolkins, Susan Dow, Annie Rose, Mary Hoxie Jones, Gren O. Pierrel, Dwight Boole and others.

91. We unite in expressing our thanks to Stanley and Donna Aldrich for their careful work in arranging our meals and accommodations.

All Friends are grateful to Daisy Newman for her care and skill in preparing the Quakerama, "The Business of Our Lives," for presentation at this session. Ruth Osborne, Henry Williams, Chouteau Chapin, Lelia Taylor, and David Curtis were directly responsible, with many assistants, for the production which was a moving and helpful way to celebrate this tercentenary year.

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The following memorial was read at the Meeting of the Permanent Board on Second Month 22, 1961 and forwarded to the Yearly Meeting. The minute was not available for reading at Yearly Meeting but is included herewith as a part of the Yearly Meeting record.

GEORGE I. BLISS, Clerk

MEMORIAL TO JOSEPH HANSON RYAN.

This minute witnesses the completed life of Joseph Hanson Ryan, a member of the Hanover Friends Meeting. He died at Canandaigua, New York on the morning of October 23, at the home of his wife's parents.

After graduating from Dartmouth College in 1927 he entered a lifetime of high school teaching of English, with side interests in Journalism and dramatics. He will be especially well remembered in Dedham, Massachusetts where he taught for twenty-five years.

In 1955 Joseph and Edith Ryan and their daughter Judith came to Newport, New Hampshire. It was in this year that the members of the Connecticut Valley Friends first knew them. Joseph and Edith were interested participants in the movement which led the Friends worshiping in the Upper Connecticut Valley to become a part of the Connecticut Valley Quarter, and later to form the Northwest Quarter. They transfered their memberships to the Hanover Friends Meeting almost as soon as it was receiving transfers. Joseph was on Ministry and Counsel, Clerk for a while, and Edith on First Day School Committee. They worshiped with us when they could, and formed strong ties also with the Rockingham, Vermont, Meeting for Worship.

We give thanks for the life of Joseph Ryan, we latecomers into his life, but joining with people who have been close to him in several communities, who studied with him or under him in his fifty-five years. There was in his physical presence, in his slow and quiet way of speech, a hint of spiritual riches and boundless love and tolerance. His wise and thoughtful words in Ministry and Counsel, his vocal appreciation of old houses or of spring wild flowers were just a small part of him. These are a few elements which we can lay hold of and remember.

First Day Afternoon

92. With the prayer that the scales may fall from our eyes and that we may come to a full realization of the "Business of Our Lives," we bring this historic meeting of New England Yearly Meeting to a close, purposing with divine assistance to work at God's work throughout the year and to meet next year at a time and place to be designated.

GEORGE I. BLISS, Clerk
MIRIAM E. JONES, Recording Clerk

We hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the minutes as approved from time to time in the foregoing schedule of sessions, to the best of our knowledge and belief.

George I Bliss,
Clerk
Miriam E. Jones
Recording Clerk

YEARLY MEETING CALENDAR OF DAILY EVENTS

Sixth Month 20-25, 1961

Tuesday, June 20

2:00 - 3:30 P.M.
Yearly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel, Sills Hall, Smith Auditorium. A panel giving consideration to "New Dimensions Among Friends Today."

3:45 P.M.
Permanent Board Meeting, Sills Hall, Room 109.

7:00 P.M.
Step Singing, Cleaveland Hall.

7:30 P.M.
Opening Minute. Meeting for Worship followed by a discussion on, "New Dimensions of Ministry Among Friends Today."

Wednesday, June 21

8:30 - 9:15 A.M.
Worship Fellowships, Sills Hall.

9:30 - 11:30 A.M.
Business Meeting. Roll Call of Representatives. Greetings from Junior Yearly Meeting, Minutes of Visiting Friends, Minutes of Permanent Board. Report of the Yearly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel. Consideration of the State of Society and Statistics.

11:00 - 11:40 A.M.
Meeting of Representatives, Sills Hall, Smith Auditorium, near platform.

11:45 - 12:15
Bible Half Hour, E. Daryl Kent, "The Prophets."

1:30 - 4:00 P.M.
Business Meeting. Concerns relative to the Spiritual Condition Reports. Concerns from Quarterly Meetings. Reports of Central Advisory Committee, Field Secretary, Committee to Study Committee Structure, Mosher Book and Tract Committee, Student Loan Committee.

4:15 - 5:15 P.M.
Tea at Durham Friends Meeting. Falmouth Quarterly Meeting - Host.

7:00 P.M.
Step Singing, Cleaveland Hall.

7:30 P.M.
Business Meeting. Reports: Friends Council on Education, Beacon Hill Friends House, Woolman Hill, Oak Grove School, The Meeting School, Committee for a New Friends World College.

Thursday, June 22

8:30 - 9:15 A.M. Worship Fellowships, Sills Hall.
9:30 - 11:30 A.M.
Business Meeting. Reports of Committee on Moses Brown School and Lincoln School, China Camp Committee, Quaker Men.

11:45 - 12:15
Bible Half Hour, E. Daryl Kent, "The Prophets."

1:30 - 3:15 P.M.
Women's Missionary Society, Sills Hall, Smith Auditorium.

3:30 - 5:30 P.M.
Business Meeting. Reports of Missionary Committee, Women's Missionary Society, Friends Committee on National Legislation, Committee to Revise the Discipline.

7:00 P.M.
Step Singing, Cleaveland Hall.

7:30 P.M.
Meeting for Worship. Friends from other Yearly Meetings have been invited to share in the ministry at this meeting.

Friday, June 23

8:30 - 9:15 A.M.
Worship Fellowships, Sills Hall.

9:30 - 11:30 A.M.
Business Meeting. Reports of the Treasurer, Finance Committee, Board of Managers of Investments and Permanent Funds, Board of Auditors of the Property of the Yearly Meeting, New England Friends Home Committee (formerly Huntington-Dixon Home Committee), Committee on Vaults and Records.

11:45 - 12:15
Bible Half Hour, E. Daryl Kent, "The Prophets."

1:30 - 3:45 P.M. Organization of Committees.

4:00 - 5:30 P.M.
Business Meeting. Reports of American Friends Service Committee, Friends World Committee and Fellowship Council, Committee on Christian Education.

7:00 P.M.
Step Singing, Cleaveland Hall.

7:30 P.M.
Business Meeting. Reports of Junior Yearly Meeting and Young Friends. Speaker, Benjamin Wegesa, Africa.

Saturday, June 24

8:30 - 9:15 A.M.
Worship Fellowships, Sills Hall.

9:30 - 11:30 A.M.
Business Meeting. Reports: Friends General Conference; Five Years Meeting, including all Five Years Meeting activities.

11:45 - 12:15
Bible Half Hour, E. Daryl Kent, "The Prophets."

1:15 - 3:00 P.M.

Business Meeting. Reports: Committee on Peace and Social Concerns, Committee for Quaker Peace Witness, Representatives, Correspondence Committee, Committee on Arrangements. Other Business.

3:00 - 5:30 P.M.

Dress Rehearsal for "The Business of Our Lives." Sargent Gymnasium.

Workshop on Direct Action, Lawrence Scott, leader. Committee on Peace and Social Concerns. Sills Hall, Smith Auditorium.

7:30 P.M.

A Quakerama, "The Business of Our Lives." Sargent Gymnasium.

Sunday, June 25

9:45 - 10:15 A.M.

Bible Half Hour, E. Daryl Kent, Sills Hall, Smith Auditorium.

9:45 - 10:30 A.M.

Bible School for Children under care of the Committee on Christian Education. Adams Hall.

11:00 A.M.

Meeting for Worship. Norval E. Webb, visiting minister. Sargent Gymnasium.

2:00 P.M.

Concluding Session. Worship, Epistle, Concluding Minute. Sills Hall, Smith Auditorium.

3:15 P.M.

Permanent Board Meeting. Sills Hall, Room 109.

TABULATED STATEMENT

Tabulated Statement of Membership Changes in New England Yearly Meeting for the Year Ending 12-31-60

		Gains						Losses																		
Monthly & Quarterly Meetings	Membership 1959	Omissions last report	Birth	Request	Certificates from Friends Meetings	Letters from other Denominations	Total additions	Included by error last report	Death	Resignation	Discontinuance	Certif. to other Friends meetings	Letter to other Denominations	Total Loss	Number members this year 12-31-60	Net Gain	Net Loss	Number Males	Number Females	Number under 21 Years	Number Associate Members	Transferred to Active Members	Resident Members	Non-Resident Members	Resident Adults	Average Attendance
Guilford	24	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	26	2	0	10	16	12	0	0	18	8	9	9
Hartford	202	0	3	16	9	0	28	0	4	1	0	0	1	6	224	22	0	101	123	84	84	2	198	26	105	80
Mid. Conn. Va.	112	0	0	4	1	0	5	0	0	0	0	3	0	3	114	2	0	56	58	33	42	0	74	40	48	63
Middletown	14	0	0	5	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	19	5	0	14	5	6	6	0	18	1	12	27
Monadnock	24	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	25	1	0	13	12	16	13	0	18	7	7	40
New Haven	50	0	1	1	0	0	2	0	0	1	2	0	1	4	48	0	2	16	32	20	19	1	33	15	19	20
Conn. Valley	426	0	4	29	10	0	43	0	4	2	2	3	2	13	456	30	0	210	246	171	164	3	359	97	200	239
Dover	135	0	0	2	1	0	3	0	5	0	0	1	1	7	131	0	4	61	70	22	22	0	70	61	35	89
Weare	86	1	0	1	0	0	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	4	84	0	2	43	41	24	30	0	47	37	29	25
Dover	221	1	0	3	1	0	5	4	5	0	0	1	1	11	215	0	6	104	111	46	52	0	117	98	64	114
Durham	145	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	145	0	0	58	87	44	26	4	100	45	66	61
Falmouth	129	0	1	2	0	1	4	0	1	0	7	0	1	9	124	0	5	44	80	16	19	0	77	47	67	40
Forest Ave.	56	0	0	2	1	0	3	0	2	0	12	0	0	14	45	0	11	15	30	10	10	0	31	14	24	12
Parsonsfield	48	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	48	0	0	27	21	19	29	0	28	20	13	9
Sandwich	23	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	0	0	0	4	19	0	4	7	12	1	6	0	8	11	8	25
Windham	31	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	2	30	0	1	5	25	3	0	0	29	1	26	13
Falmouth	432	0	1	7	1	1	10	2	5	2	20	1	1	31	411	0	21	156	255	93	90	4	273	138	204	160

Burlington	21	0	0	1	2	4	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	28	7	0	15	13	13	13	0	22	6	15	20
Hanover	40	0	0	8	1	0	9	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	48	8	0	22	26	23	23	0	37	11	21	20
Northwest	61	0	0	9	3	4	16	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	76	15	0	37	39	36	36	0	59	17	36	40
N. Dartmouth	26	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	26	0	0	8	18	3	3	0	11	15	11	7
Providence	196	0	0	4	1	0	5	4	3	0	0	7	1	15	186	0	10	90	96	41	42	0	132	54	101	82
Westerly	46	0	0	1	4	0	5	2	1	0	0	0	0	3	48	2	0	18	32	3	3	0	19	29	19	15
Rhode Island	268	0	0	5	5	0	10	6	4	0	0	7	1	18	260	0	8	116	144	47	48	0	162	98	131	104
Amesbury	36	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	4	4	1	2	14	22	0	14	6	16	3	3	0	15	7	15	12
Cambridge	502	0	4	11	27	2	44	3	3	2	2	15	0	25	521	19	0	233	288	158	162	2	319	202	209	325
Lawrence	77	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	78	1	0	28	50	15	13	0	46	32	37	39
Lynn	65	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	1	4	61	0	4	20	41	6	7	1	53	8	47	29
Wellesley	71	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	73	2	0	35	38	35	34	0	72	1	37	35
Salem	751	1	4	13	27	2	47	3	7	6	6	18	3	43	755	4	0	322	433	217	219	3	505	250	345	440
Allen's Neck	77	0	0	8	0	0	8	0	0	0	1	0	1	2	83	6	0	30	53	9	9	0	67	16	58	37
Dartmouth	51	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	50	0	1	18	32	5	6	0	36	14	32	25
New Bedford	101	11	0	0	0	0	11	0	6	1	0	0	0	7	105	4	0	42	63	5	10	0	75	30	44	24
Rhode Island*	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6*	0	6*	0*	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sandwich	45	0	0	0	7	0	7	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	51	6	0	21	30	8	13	0	28	23	20	21
Swansea	98	0	1	1	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	98	0	0	49	49	27	30	0	56	42	35	29
Westport	117	0	2	0	0	0	2	9	1	0	0	0	0	10	109	0	8	41	68	32	27	0	88	21	64	30
Sandwich	495	11	3	9	7	0	30	10	10	1	1	6	1	29	496	1	0	201	295	86	95	0	350	146	253	166
Bolton	32	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	31	0	1	13	18	3	3	0	19	12	19	7
Smithfield	94	0	0	1	1	0	2	1	0	0	2	1	0	4	92	0	2	36	56	14	9	5	55	37	48	38
Worcester	148	0	0	6	0	0	6	0	2	5	0	0	0	7	147	0	1	69	78	34	31	0	106	41	80	42
Smithfield	274	0	0	7	1	0	8	1	3	5	2	1	0	12	270	0	4	118	152	46	46	5	180	90	147	87
China	53	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	1	0	0	5	48	0	5	16	32	6	7	2	23	25	14	40
Maple Grove	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	2	0
N. Fairfield	20	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20	0	0	7	13	0	0	0	10	10	10	6
Oak Grove	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	2	3	0	0	0	3	2	3	150
Vassalboro	80	0	0	0	3	0	3	0	1	0	0	0	2	3	80	0	0	42	38	31	24	4	48	32	28	25
Winthrop	134	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	3	131	0	3	52	79	12	4	0	72	59	47	27
Vassalboro	294	0	0	0	3	0	3	1	7	0	1	0	2	11	286	0	8	119	161	49	35	6	158	128	104	258
Grand Total	3222	13	12	82	58	7	172	27	46	16	32	37	11	169	3225	3	0	1383	1842	791	785	21	2163	1062	1484	1608

*Rhode Island Monthly Meeting was laid down in the autumn of 1960.

DIRECTORY OF YEARLY MEETING

For addresses see ADDRESSES

OFFICERS

Presiding Clerk	GEORGE I. BLISS
Recording Clerk	MIRIAM E. JONES
Reading Clerk	GORDON M. BROWNE
Reading Clerk	THOMAS BASSETT
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Field Secretary	LOUIS J. MARSTALLER
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Yearly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel
Clerk: MABEL G. BAILEY
Recording Clerk: GEORGE T. LITTLE

Permanent Board
Clerk: WINSLOW H. OSBORNE
Recording Clerk: JOHN H. FOSTER

For One Year

Thomas S. D. Bassett
Margaret A. Cates
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Caleb A. Smith
Clayton W. Spinney
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For Two Years

Ruth N. Dow
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Maude A. Fowler
Walter B. Jones
Alice H. Macomber
Edward A. Manice
Winslow H. Osborne
Caroline A. Price
Chester C. Smith
James J. Toothaker

For Three Years

Ralph W. Austin
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John H. Foster
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Elizabeth Straw
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For Four Years

Eleanor C. Bailey
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Helen Griffith
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Miriam E. Jones
Harold W. Myers
George A. Selleck
Roberta G. Selleck

For Five Years

Donna J. Aldrich
Moses Bailey
Thomas R. Bodine
Philip H. Cornell
Helen Meader
Richard L. Naeye
Robert E. Owen
Henry H. Perry
Leota S. Wadleigh
Robert M. White

Ex officio: The Clerk, the Field Secretary, and the Treasurer of the Yearly Meeting.

Committee on Arrangements

Chairman: HELEN L. BLISS

For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
Ruth N. Dow	Donna J. Aldrich	Helen L. Bliss
Isobel V. Duguid	Stanley L. Aldrich	Elizabeth Chambers
Virginia Gove	Grace P. Atkins	Thyra Jane Foster
Clarabel H. Marstaller	Hattie O. Cox	Elizabeth Jonitis
Lewis R. Moody, Jr.	Bernice C. S. Douglas	Susan Kellam
Winslow H. Osborne	Leona G. Stevens	Ruth F. Osborne
George A. Selleck		Ruth Pineo
Marianne Small		
Rebecca G. Williams		

Ex officio: The Clerk of the Yearly Meeting.

Board of Auditors of the Property of the Yearly Meeting

For One Year: Chester C. Smith

For Two Years: Grace P. Atkins

For Three Years: J. Franklin Pineo

Central Advisory Committee

Chairman: RUSSELL D. BROOKS

For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
George F. Cates	Stanley L. Aldrich	Alice B. Farnham
Harold W. Myers	Russell D. Brooks	Henry C. Foster
Ruth F. Osborne	Richard Naeye	Elizabeth L. Jones
Gertrude F. Smith	Lee M. Steelman	Ernest H. Weed

Ex Officio: The Clerk of the Yearly Meeting and the Clerk of the Permanent Board.

China Camp Committee

Chairman: RICHARD S. GOVE Secretary: HAZEL MEYERS

For One Year	For Two Years	
Ralph W. Austin	George T. Little	George F. Cates
Virginia Phillips	Lewis R. Moody	P. Russell Cornell
Rolfe E. Richardson	J. Franklin Pineo	Richard Gove
Priscilla Rushmore	Mildred S. Richardson	Hazel Meyers

Committee on Christian Education

Chairman: FRANCES T. GOVE

Secretary: PATRICIA E. LYON

For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
Dorothy J. Averill	Jane C. Burgess	Jane E. Cook
Moses Bailey	Eleanor Gould	Elizabeth F. Gifford
Barbara Gerrish	Frances Gove	Thera F. Hindmarsh
Nancy Johnson	Amy S. Hayden	Phillip Miller
Janet Jones	Cynthia M. Reik	Caleb A. Smith
E. Audrey Kestner	Edith Leete	Lelia E. Taylor
Patricia E. Lyon	Ethel Spinney	Thomas Waring
Herbert Stevens, Jr.	Elizabeth Straw	Margaret H. Wentworth
Frances York	Marjorie Walker	

Committee to Study Committee Structure

Chairman: HERBERT S. HUFFMAN

Grace P. Atkins
Mabel G. Bailey
Russell D. Brooks
Edna C. Haviland
Herbert S. Huffman
Clarabel H. Marstaller
Winslow H. Osborne
Edith C. Ware
Ernest H. Weed

Correspondence Committee

Chairman: MARGARET G. SISSION

For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
Sarah D. Cheney	Jane C. Burgess	Gordon M. Browne
Millicent S. Foster	Alice H. Macomber	Marion E. Kelsey
Dorothy W. Gifford	Henry B. Williams	Margaret E. Sisson
Eleanor N. Wilson	Earle D. Wilson	

Equalization Fund Committee

Chairman: MAUD B. SMITH

For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
Helen L. Bliss	Edward Leslie	Leona G. Stevens
Stanley Potter	Edith A. Paine	Susan H. Webb
Maud B. Smith	Ella H. Smart	Ernest H. Weed

Finance Committee (Appointed by Quarterly Meetings)

Chairman: ROBERT E. OWEN

	For One Year	For Two Years
Connecticut Valley:	Thomas Crowe	Elizabeth Musgrave
Dover:	Charles Teague	David Curtis
Falmouth:	William L. Jewell	Mabel Russell
Northwest:	E. Kirk Roberts	Alan Walker
Rhode Island:	John R. Kellam	Thomas Perry
Salem:	Ernest Ainsworth	Finley H. Perry
Sandwich:	Karl H. Erickson	Harry Allen
Smithfield:	Clayton Drown	
Vassalboro:	Hazel C. Foster	Robert Owen

Ex Officio: The Treasurer of the Yearly Meeting.

Committee on Five Years Meeting

Chairman: MABEL G. BAILEY

(Composed of representatives from New England appointed to Boards of the Five Years Meetings and representatives appointed to the Five Years Meeting.)

Appointments to Boards:

Board on Christian Education: Frances T. Gove
Board on Christian Education: Helen L. Bliss
Board on Education: Dorothy W. Gifford
American Friends Board of Missions: Mabel G. Bailey
American Friends Board of Missions: Willard H. Ware
Board on Peace and Social Concerns: Elizabeth L. Jones
Board on Evangelism and Church Extension: Moses Bailey
Board on Stewardship and Finance: Ernest H. Weed
Board on Training for Christian Vocations: Herbert S. Huffman
Executive Council: Thomas R. Bodine and Willard H. Ware

Representatives to the Five Years Meeting, Seventh Month 14-21, 1960:

		Alternates
Donna J. Aldrich	Maude A. Fowler	Katherine L. Haviland
Louisa R. Alger	Alice H. Macomber	Ruth F. Osborne
Eleanor C. Bailey	Caleb A. Smith	Leona G. Stevens
George I. Bliss		Edith C. Ware
W. Wendell Clepper		

Central Committee of the Friends General Conference

For Two Years	For Four Years
Grace P. Atkins	Margaret A. Cates
Thomas R. Bodine	J. Franklin Pineo
Edward A. Manice	John A. Sullivan

Ex Officio: The Clerk of the Yearly Meeting and the Clerk of the Permanent Board.

Board of Managers of Investments and Permanent Funds

Chairman: EDWARD A. WHITE

For Five Years:	Clayton T. Drown	Edward A. White
For Four Years:	Philip Cornell	George Halford
For Three Years:	L. Ralston Thomas	Rudman Ham
For Two Years:	Willard H. Ware	Henry Perry
For One Year:	Proctor W. Houghton	Thomas Perry

Committee to Care for the Meetings for Worship at Yearly Meeting

(Appointed by Yearly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel.)

Moses Bailey
Hattie O. Cox
Marion E. Kelsey

Missionary Committee

Chairman: RUTH D. B. WHITE

For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
Mabel Bailey	Moses Bailey	Hattie O. Cox
Harold J. Chance	Elizabeth F. Ballard	Alice C. Gifford
Bernice S. Douglas	Annie S. Dernier	Edna C. Haviland
Melita Fisher	Ruth C. Graham	Amy S. Hayden
Maude A. Fowler	Letitia Jones	Marion E. Kelsey
David P. McAllester	Gertrude Lawrence	Mildred S. Richardson
Ruth H. Mellor	Katherine Palmer	Ella H. Smart
Virginia T. Towle	Willard Ware	Ruth D. B. White

Committee on Moses Brown School and Lincoln School

Clerk: WILLARD H. WARE
Assistant Clerk: SETH K. GIFFORD II
Recording Clerk: VIRGINIA TOWNSEND

For One Year

†Eleanor C. Bailey
†Russell C. DeBurlo
†Frank J. Lepreau, Jr.
*Caleb A. Smith
†*Willard H. Ware
†Ralph M. Williams

For Two Years

*Russell S. Douglas
†*Seth K. Gifford II
†Thomas Perry, Jr.
†Virginia Townsend
*Kenneth B. Webb

For Three Years

†Louisa R. Alger
†Winnifred A. Barrett
†Margaret A. Cates
*Katherine Locke
†Florence M. Sellick
*Edward A. White

For Four Years

*Moses Bailey
*Thomas Bassett
*Samuel B. Burgess
†Melita B. Fisher
†David Holden
*Ernest T. Stabler

For Five Years

†Mary S. Barrett
†Gordon M. Browne
*Rudman J. Ham
*Edward A. Manice
†Leota S. Wadleigh

†Lincoln School Board of Trustees
*Moses Brown School Board of Trustees

Appointed members: W. Chester Cobb, Stanley F. Mathes

Mosher Book and Tract Committee

Chairman: DOROTHY J. AVERILL

Secretary: THYRA JANE FOSTER

Executive Committee: The Chairman, Secretary, and Maude A. Fowler

For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
Mabel G. Bailey	Myrtle Austin	Alice B. Farnham
Maude A. Fowler	Dorothy J. Averill	Christopher L. Knowlton
Ernest H. Weed	Thyra Jane Foster	Florence M. Selleck
	Edith C. Ware	

New England Friends Home Committee

Chairman: FINLEY H. PERRY

Secretary: EDITH C. WARE

For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
Donnell Boardman	Isobel V. Duguid	Thomas R. Bodine
Katherine L. Haviland	Ambrose Meyers	H. Paul Cleaver
Rebecca H. Perry	Finley H. Perry	Edith C. Ware
Henry W. Stokes	Ruth D. B. White	Louisa White

Nominating Committee

(Appointed by the Spring Quarterly Meetings)

	For One Year	For Two Years
Connecticut Valley:	Timothy Cheney	Edward A. Manice
Dover:		Maude A. Fowler
Falmouth:	Donna J. Aldrich	Hattie O. Cox
Northwest:	Richard Naeye	Elizabeth Ballard
Rhode Island:	Louisa White	Amy Hayden
Salem:	J. Franklin Pineo	Jane C. Burgess
Sandwich:	Alice H. Macomber	Ernest H. Weed
Smithfield:	Melita B. Fisher	Edith C. Ware
Vassalboro:	Eva P. Owen	Margaret Cates

Committee on Peace and Social Concerns

Chairman: W. THEODORE PAULLIN

One Year	Two Years	Three Years
Gwendolyn H. Halewood	Thomas Bassett	Donnell Boardman
Frances A. Howland	Gordon Browne	Harold J. Chance
Margaret E. Klinteberg	Philip Cornell	Ralph Cook
Elizabeth B. Knowlton	Marion M. Jessell	David L. Curtis
Edna Leuvelink	Patricia D. Naeye	Elizabeth L. Jones
Mary V. Myers	Caroline A. Price	Marjorie Laufman
W. Theodore Paullin	John A. Sullivan	A. William Olsen
James J. Toothaker	Silas B. Weeks	Jeannette A. Smith
Ira M. Wine		John S. Stamm
		Philip A. Towle

Committee to Revise the Discipline

Chairman: GEORGE A. SELLECK

George I. Bliss
Louis J. Marstaller
Millicent S. Foster
Edward A. Manice
George A. Seleck
Thomas Perry and Phebe Perry (alternates for each other)

Student Loan Committee

Chairman: JOHN S. STAMM
Secretary: FLORENCE M. SELLECK

For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
Clayton T. Drown	Mary Elizabeth Jones	Winnifred A. Barrett
Edith J. Teague	W. Fay Luder	Marian P. Cartland
Russell H. White	Florence M. Selleck	Rebecca G. Williams
	John S. Stamm	

Committee on Care of Vaults and Records

Chairman: ROBERT N. COOL

For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
Warder H. Cadbury	Samuel B. Burgess	Thomas Bassett
Thyra Jane Foster	F. Warren Howe, Jr.	Robert N. Cool
Sarah N. Gallagher	Doris P. Mowry	L. Ralston Thomas

Representatives on

American Friends Service Committee, Incorporated

For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
Miriam E. Jones	Moses Bailey	Louisa R. Alger
Cornelius Kruse	Joseph L. Hiller	Russell D. Brooks
Henry B. Stevens	Caroline A. Price	W. Theodore Paullin

Friends Committee on National Legislation

For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
Allan R. Brick	Paul Butterworth	David L. Curtis
Thyra Jane Foster	John Sullivan	Penelope M. Turton

Friends World Committee, American Section and Fellowship Council

For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
Caleb A. Smith	Margaret P. Welch	Thomas R. Bodine
	Ruth D. B. White	Julianna R. Perry

Quaker Men: John H. Cann

Board of Directors of the Massachusetts Council of Churches:
Herbert S. Huffman

State Board of United Church Women of Massachusetts:
Esther A. Weed

Friends Council on Education: Miriam E. Jones

Third Seminar on Indian Affairs: George I. Bliss
Robert A. Lyon, Alternate

Women's Missionary Society (Appoints its own officers)

President: Gertrude Lawrence
Vice President: Esther Weed
Corresponding Secretary: Grace F. Luder
Recording Secretary: Dorothy J. Averill
Treasurer: Amy S. Hayden
Auditor: Mary V. Myers

Secretaries of Departments:

Literature: Hattie O. Cox
Missionary Education: Mildred S. Richardson
Youth and Children's Work: Alice B. Farnham
Stewardship: Ella H. Smart

Nominating Committee:

For One Year: Maude A. Fowler
For Two Years: Edna C. Haviland
For Three Years: Grace P. Atkins

Young Friends Committee

Young Friends Officers appointed by Young Friends:

Clerk: Elizabeth Chambers

Recording Clerk: Martha Burgess

Treasurer: Eric Greene

Arrangements Committee: Susan Kellam, Virginia Gove, Margaret Bainbridge

Young Friends Committee of North America: Harrison Smith, Frances Millard

Adult Members appointed by the Yearly Meeting:

For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
Helen L. Bliss	Robert A. Lyon	Ruth F. Osborne

Ex officio: The Clerk of the Yearly Meeting and the Field Secretary

(Quarterly Meeting Young Friends Representatives serve as contact persons in the Quarterly Meetings.)

LOCAL MEETING BIBLE SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENTS

(Appointed by Local Meetings)

Acton: Patricia E. Lyon
Allen's Neck:
Burlington: Barbara Dyck
Nina Sullivan
Cambridge: Ruth F. Hooke
China: Roy Grindle
Concord:

Mattapoisett: Esther Bowman
Meaderboro: Elwood Meader
Mid. Conn: Janet Jones
N. Fairfield:
N. Weare: Marian Adams
Parsonsfield: Ramona Day
Providence: Elizabeth Gifford

Dartmouth:		Smithfield:	Lloyd C. Arnold
Dover:	Shirley Leslie	S. Dartmouth:	Esther Hawes
Durham:	Deane Rollins	Storrs:	
Falmouth:	Cornelia V. Edwards	Swansea:	
Forest Avenue	Glenice C. Hutchins	Vassalboro:	Malvena Robbins
Gonic:	Mildred S. Richardson	Wellesley:	Sylvia Perry
Guilford:		Westport:	George Johnson
Hanover:	Minnie Weiss	Windham:	Enora Jordan
Hartford:	Elsa Cullen	Winthrop:	Mrs. Lawrence Kenney
Lawrence:	Vivian Stricker	Worcester:	
Lynn:	Frances T. Gove		

QUARTERLY MEETING BIBLE SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENTS

(Appointed by Quarterly Meetings)

Conn. Valley:	Elsa Cullen	Salem:	Patricia Lyon
Dover:	Shirley Leslie	Sandwich:	Dorothy Williamson
Falmouth:	Glenice C. Hutchins	Smithfield:	Melita B. Fisher
Northwest:	Barbara Dyck	Vassalboro:	Marion E. Jones
Rhode Island:	Elizabeth Gifford		

RECORDED MINISTERS

New England Yearly Meeting of Friends

(Listed by Quarterly Meetings)

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CONNECTICUT VALLEY QUARTERLY MEETING

Theodore Paullin, clerk. Held on the First Day in Second, Fifth, Eighth and Tenth Months. In Second Month in West Hartford, in Fifth Month at New Haven, in Eighth Month at Guilford, and in Tenth Month with Middle Connecticut Valley Monthly Meeting. Worship at 11 a.m., business meeting at 12:15 p.m., and at 2:30 p.m. further business, and address or special discussion. Quarterly Meeting and Counsel the same day at 9:45 a.m., or the evening before with Helen Griffith as clerk.

GUILFORD MONTHLY MEETING, held at 7:30 p.m. on the third Day in each month at 286 Boston St., Guilford, Conn. John E. Kaltenbach, Clerk. Worship each First Day at 10:00 a.m. in the meeting room of Guilford Free Library, Broad and State Streets, **Guilford, Conn.**

HARTFORD MONTHLY MEETING, held at 7:45 p.m. on the second Fifth Day in each month except Seventh and Eighth Months. Ralph M. Williams, Clerk. Worship each First Day at 11 a.m. in the meeting house at 144 South Quaker Lane, **West Hartford, Conn.**

Worship also at 11 a.m. at the E. O. Smith House, Mansfield Four Corners, **Storrs, Conn.** Alison Davis, Corresp.

MIDDLE CONNECTICUT VALLEY MONTHLY MEETING, held the second Fourth Day in each month. The clerk, John H. Foster, should be consulted for time and place.

Consolidated Meeting for Worship, held each First Day at 11 a.m. at the Grange Hall, Main and Whitney Streets, **Amherst, Mass.**

Meeting for Worship at Gould Farm near **Great Barrington, Mass.**, each First Day at 5 p.m.

Amherst Preparative Meeting, held at the call of the clerk. Miriam Zahradnik, Corresp.

Greenfield Preparative Meeting, held at the call of the convenor, Fritz Kaufhold.

Northampton Preparative Meeting, held at the call of the clerk, David Huntington.

South Hadley Preparative Meeting, held at the call of the clerk, David Holden.

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MONADNOCK MONTHLY MEETING, held at 7:30 p.m. on the third First Day in the homes of members. Ida C. Stabler, Clerk. Worship at 11 a.m. (Tenth to Fifth Mos.) at Downey House, corner of High and Court Sts., **Middletown, Conn.**

MONADNOCK MONTHLY MEETING, held at 7:30 p.m. on the second Fifth Day. Virginia R. Towle, clerk. Worship at 10 a.m. at The Meeting School, Thomas Rd., **Rindge, N. H.**

NEW HAVEN MONTHLY MEETING, held on the second First Day at 11 a.m. (except Sixth — Eighth Mos.) Elizabeth C. Musgrave, clerk. Worship at 9:45 a.m. in the Faculty Room in Connecticut Hall at Yale University, **New Haven, Conn.**

DOVER QUARTERLY MEETING

Ruth F. Osborne, clerk. Held on the first Seventh Day in First Mo., and on the fourth Seventh Day in Fourth, Eighth and Tenth Mos. In First Mo. at Gonic, N. H., in Fourth Mo. at Dover, in Eighth Mo. at Weare (Henniker Meeting House), and in Tenth Mo. at Rochester. Worship at 11 a.m. and business meeting at 1:30 p.m. Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel at 10 a.m. the same day with Marian Meader as clerk.

DOVER MONTHLY MEETING, held on the second Third Day in each month at 7:30 p.m.; in Dover in First, Fourth, Seventh and Tenth Mos.; in Gonic in Second, Fifth, Eighth and Eleventh Mos.; in Rochester in Third, Sixth, Ninth and Twelfth Mos. Mildred S. Richardson, Clerk.

Dover Preparative Meeting, held following worship on the second First Day in First, Fourth, Seventh and Ninth Mos. Cabot Lyford, clerk Worship at 11 a.m. in the meeting house on Central Ave. at Trakey St., **Dover N.H.**

Gonic Preparative Meeting, held at 11:30 a.m. on the first First Day in each month. Ruth W. Young, clerk. Worship at 10:30 a.m. in the meeting house at **Gonic, N.H.**

Rochester Preparative Meeting, held at the call of the clerk, Dana W. Meader. Worship at 11 a.m. in the meeting house at **Meaderboro, N. H.** (4 miles west of Rochester). Wilbur L. Reid, pastor.

WEARE MONTHLY MEETING, held at 8 p.m. in North Weare on the first Fifth Day of each month, except in Eighth Mo. when it is held in Henniker at 10:30 a.m. Elizabeth Straw, clerk. Worship at **North Weare, N. H.** in the Federated Church (Friends and Congregationalists) at 9:45 a.m. Earle Y. Fellows, pastor.

Concord Preparative Meeting, held at the call of the clerk, David L. Curtis. Anona Nash, corresp. Worship at 10 a.m. at 2 Thorndike St., **Concord, N.H.**, Eleventh through Fourth Mos.; at Booth — Rush home, Shaker Rd., **Canterbury, N. H.**, Fifth through Tenth Mos.

FALMOUTH QUARTERLY MEETING

Ira M. Wine, clerk. Held on the last Seventh Day in First, Fifth, Eighth and Tenth Mos. In First Mo. at Oak St. Portland, Me.; in Fifth Mo. (in the odd years) at Forest Ave., Portland and (in the even years) at East Parsonsfield; in Eighth Mo. at South Durham; and in Tenth Mo. at Windham. Worship at 11 a.m. and business meeting at 1:00 p.m. Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel the same day at 10 a.m. with Jane W. L. Hawkes as clerk.

DURHAM MONTHLY MEETING, held at 7:30 p.m. on the Fourth Day after the second Fifth Day in each month. Clarabel H. Marstaller, clerk. Worship at 10 a.m. in the meetinghouse at **South Durham, Me.** (on Route 125, between Freeport and Lisbon Falls, at the intersection of the Durham Rd. from Brunswick). Sunday School at 11 a.m. Herbert Kimball, pastor.

FALMOUTH MONTHLY MEETING, held at 7:30 p.m. on the third Fifth Day in each month. Albert R. Moore, clerk. Worship at 10:45 a.m. in the meeting house at 83 Oak St., **Portland, Me.** Earle K. Sweatland, pastor.

FOREST AVENUE MONTHLY MEETING, held at 8 p.m. on the first Third Day of each month in the homes of members. Stanley L. Aldrich, clerk. Worship at 10:30 a.m. (except at 9:30 a.m. Sixth through Ninth Mos.) in the meeting house at 1837 Forest Ave., **Portland, Me.**

PARSONSFIELD MONTHLY MEETING, held following worship on the First Day before the third Fifth Day in each month. Ramona E. Day, clerk. Worship at 10 a.m. in the meeting house at **East Parsonsfield, Me.,** four miles west of Limerick, Me.

SANDWICH MONTHLY MEETING, held at 3 p.m. on the third Fifth Day in First, Fifth, Eighth and Tenth Mos. Harriet E. Cartland clerk. Worship at 10:30 a.m. from Sixth through Eighth Mos. in the meeting house at **North Sandwich, N. H.**

WINDHAM MONTHLY MEETING, held at 7 p.m. on the third First Day of each month. Gloria Smith, clerk. Worship at 9 a.m. in the meeting house at **Windham Center, Me.** Earle K. Sweatland, pastor.

NORTHWEST QUARTERLY MEETING

Thomas Bassett, clerk. To be held at Farm and Wilderness Camp, Plymouth, Vermont, Ninth Mo. 10, 1961; Burlington, Vermont, Twelfth Mo. 10, 1961; Community Center, Woodstock, Vermont, Third Mo. 11, 1962; Farm and Wilderness Camp, Plymouth Vt., Sixth Mo. 3, 1962. Meeting for Worship at 11 a.m. Meeting for business at 1:30 p.m. Meeting on Ministry and Counsel held the evening before at 8 p.m. with Susan Webb as clerk. Consult clerk for place of meeting in Burlington and Woodstock.

BURLINGTON MONTHLY MEETING, held on the first First Day following the meeting for worship. John A. Sullivan, clerk. Worship at 11 a.m. in the Friends' Meeting House, next to 179 S. Prospect St., **Burlington, Vt.** Worship also at 10 a.m. in the home of Alan M. Walker, correspondent, in **Plainfield, Vt.**; and worship during the college year at 7 p.m. in Sunderland Chapel, Middlebury College, **Middlebury, Vt.**, E. Kirk Roberts, corresp.

HANOVER MONTHLY MEETING, held following worship on First Day at the convenience of members and subject to the college schedule. Henry B. Williams, clerk. Worship at 11 a.m. in the Dartmouth Christian Union Lounge, College Hall, Hanover, N. H. during the academic year. For place of worship at 9:30 a.m. during the summer consult the clerk or the Hanover Information Booth.

RHODE ISLAND QUARTERLY MEETING

Edward A. White, clerk. Held on the third Seventh Day in First, Fourth, Seventh and Tenth Mos. In First Mo. at Providence; in Fourth Mo. at Westerly; in Seventh Mo. at North Dartmouth, Mass.; and in Tenth Mo. at Saylesville, R. I. Starting at 1:30 p.m. with supper and evening session in First and Tenth Mos.; starting usually at 10.30 a.m. with lunch and afternoon meeting in Fourth and Seventh Mos. Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel the same day, with Thyra Jane Foster as clerk.

NORTH DARTMOUTH MONTHLY MEETING, held following meeting for worship on the last First Day in Third, Sixth, Ninth and Twelfth Mos. Elizabeth G. Lane, clerk. Worship at 11 a.m. in the meeting house at **North Dartmouth, Mass.** (on the State Rd., Route 6, near Smith Mills).

PROVIDENCE MONTHLY MEETING, held in the even months on the second Fifth Day at 7:30 p.m.; and in the odd months on the second First Day at 2 p.m. All meetings are held in Providence except in Third, Fifth, Seventh and Ninth Mos., when they are held in Saylesville. The meeting in Eighth Mo. is held at the call of the clerk. Harold W. Myers, clerk. Worship at 11 a.m. in the meeting house at 99 Morris Ave, **Providence R. I.**

Saylesville Preparative Meeting, held at the call of the clerk, J. Rudolph Metz. Worship at 11 a.m. at **Saylesville, R. I.** in the meeting house on Great Rd.

WESTERLY MONTHLY MEETING, held following the meeting for worship on the last First Day of Third, Sixth, Ninth and Twelfth Mos. Marjorie B. Taylor, clerk. Worship at 11 a.m. (except at 10:30 a.m. during Seventh-Ninth Mos.) in the meeting house at 57 Elm St., **Westerly, R. I.**

SALEM QUARTERLY MEETING

Ronald S. Steelman, clerk. Will be held on Seventh Day, Ninth Month 16, 1961 at Lynn, Mass., and thereafter at times and places to be anounced in "The New England Friend." Worship at 11 a.m., business meeting at 1:30 p.m., and occasionally a speaker or program at 2:30

p.m. Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel at 10 a.m. the same day.

AMESBURY MONTHLY MEETING, held at 7 p.m. on the first Fifth Day in each month. Dorothy J. Averill, clerk. Worship at 10:45 a.m. in **Amesbury, Mass**; from Fifth Month through Ninth Month in the Meetinghouse on Friends St., near Whitehall Rd.; Tenth Month through Fourth Month at 230 Main St. or 14 Beacon St.

CAMBRIDGE MONTHLY MEETING, held at 7:30 p.m. on the second Fifth Day in each month, except Seventh and Eighth Mos. Roderick Firth, clerk. George A. Selleck, executive secretary.

Worship at 9:30 a.m. and 11 a.m. in the meeting house at 5 Longfellow Park, **Cambridge Mass.** Also at 11 a.m. at Beacon Hill Friends House, 6 Chestnut St., **Boston, Mass.**, Ernest H. Weed, corresp.

Acton Preparative Meeting, held at 9 p.m. on the last First Day of each month at the Acton Women's Club Building in **Acton Center, Mass.** Ellen Cary Bell, clerk. Worship at 10 a.m. except on the last First Day of each month at 7:30 p.m.

Hingham Preparative Meeting held at 8 p.m. on the first Second Day of each month at homes of members. Fritz G. Renken, clerk; Henry W. Stokes, correspondent. Worship at 10 a.m. on the second floor of the John A. Andrews House at 178 North Street, Hingham, Mass. (except at 9:30 a.m. Sixth through Eighth Mos.)

LAWRENCE MONTHLY MEETING, held at 7:30 p.m. on the first Fourth Day in each month. Gertrude Richardson, clerk. Bible School, 10 a.m., worship at 11 a.m. at the meeting house at 45 Avon St., **Lawrence, Mass.** Glenn Douglas, pastor.

LYNN MONTHLY MEETING, held at 8 p.m. on the second Fourth Day in each month. Richard S. Gove, clerk. Worship at 11 a.m. in the meeting house at 68 Silsbee St., **Lynn, Mass.**

WELLESLEY MONTHLY MEETING, held at 8 p.m. on the third Fifth Day of each month in the homes of members. Garrett S. Hoag, clerk. Worship at 10:30 a.m. at Ten Acre School on Benvenue St., off Grove St., in **Wellesley, Mass.**

SANDWICH QUARTERLY MEETING

Donald C. McLeod: clerk. Held on the second Seventh Day in First, Fourth, Seventh and Tenth Mos. In First Mo. at New Bedford, Mass.; in Fourth Mo. at Allen's Neck; in Seventh Mo. 1962 at Smith's Neck; in Tenth Mo. at Swansea. Worship at 11 a.m. with business following. Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel at 10 a.m. on the same day with Alice Howland Macomber as clerk; Frank J. Lepreau, Jr. as assistant clerk.

ALLEN'S NECK MONTHLY MEETING, held at 8 p.m. on the fourth Fourth Day of each month. Rebecca E. Trask, clerk. Worship at 9:45 a.m. in the meeting house on Horseneck Road in **Dartmouth, Mass.** Philip H. Miller, pastor.

DARTMOUTH MONTHLY MEETING, held at 7:30 p.m. on the first Seventh Day at South Dartmouth. Julia Howland, clerk. Worship at 10 a.m. in the meeting house on Smith Neck Rd., **South Dartmouth, Mass.**

NEW BEDFORD MONTHLY MEETING, held at 2:30 p.m. on the third First Day in Third, Sixth, Ninth and Twelfth Mos. Alice Howland Macomber, clerk.

New Bedford Preparative Meeting, held at the call of the clerk, Ida M. Mesner. Worship at 11 a.m. in the meeting house on Spring St., **New Bedford, Mass.** Hinson V. Howlett, pastor.

Long Plain Preparative Meeting, held at 11 a.m. on the third Fourth Day of Seventh Mo. at Long Plain, and on the third Seventh Day of Fourth and Tenth Mos. at Mattapoisett, Bertha Pierce, clerk.

Long Plain Particular Meeting. Worship at 7:30 p.m. on the second Fourth Day of each month in the meeting house on North Main St., **Acushnet, Mass.** Bessie Martin, Corresp.

Mattapoisett Particular Meeting. Worship at 11 a.m. each First Day in the meeting house in **Mattapoisett, Mass.** on the main highway, Route 6, 8 miles east of New Bedford. Cynthia J. Power, Corresp. Earle D. Wilson, worker.

SANDWICH MONTHLY MEETING, held at the call of the clerk, Annie E. Rose. Worship at 11 a.m. in the meeting house in **West Falmouth, Mass.** during Seventh and Eighth Mos. Worship at 11 a.m. on the first First Day in Eighth Mo. at the Sandwich meeting house, **East Sandwich, Mass.** off Route 6a.

South Yarmouth Preparative Meeting, held following the Meeting for Worship on the last First Day. Clerk, Gordon Browne. Worship at 10 a.m. in the meeting house at **South Yarmouth, Mass.**

SWANSEA MONTHLY MEETING, held at the call of the clerk, Dorothy F. Williamson. Worship at 11 a.m. in the meeting house on Prospect St., **Somerset, Mass.** (about 1 mile north of Route 6.)

WESTPORT MONTHLY MEETING, held following worship on the second First Day in each month. Frank J. Lepreau, Jr., clerk. Worship at 10:45 a.m. in the meeting house at **Central Village, Mass.** John Ruth, pastor.

SMITHFIELD QUARTERLY MEETING

Clayton T. Drown, clerk. Held on the third Seventh Day in Fourth, Seventh and Tenth Mos. In Fourth Mo. at Worcester, Mass., in Seventh Mo. 1962 at the old Bolton meeting house in Old Sturbridge Village at

Sturbridge, Mass. (starts with picnic lunch at 12 noon) and in Tenth Mo. at Woonsocket, R. I. Worship at 2:30 p.m. and business meeting at 3:30 p.m. Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel at 1:30 p.m. the same day with Lloyd C. Arnold as clerk.

BOLTON MONTHLY MEETING, held at the call of the clerk, Marjorie J. Babcock. Worship at 11 a.m. as a part of the Federated Church (Friends, Baptists and Unitarians) at the Unitarian Church in **Bolton, Mass.** Howard P. Davis, pastor.

SMITHFIELD MONTHLY MEETING, held at 7:30 p.m. on the last Sixth Day in each month. Melita B. Fisher, clerk. Worship at 11 a.m. in the meeting house at 126 Smithfield Rd., **Woonsocket, R. I.** Robert N. Cool, pastor.

WORCESTER MONTHLY MEETING, held at 7:30 p.m. on the second Fourth Day in each month. Willard H. Ware, clerk. Worship at 11 a.m. in the meeting house on Oxford St. at Chatham St., **Worcester, Mass.**

VASSALBORO QUARTERLY MEETING

George F. Cates, clerk. Held on the first Seventh Day in Second, Fifth, Eighth and Tenth Mos., and on the second First Day in Eleventh Mo. In Second Mo. at East Vassalboro, Me., in Fifth Mo. at Winthrop Center, in Eighth Mo. at South China, in Tenth Mo. at North Fairfield, and in Eleventh Mo. at Oak Grove School in Vassalboro. Worship at 11 a.m. and business meeting at 1:30 p.m. except in Eleventh Mo. when worship is at 2 p.m. and business meeting at 3 p.m. Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel at 1 p.m. the same day with Robert E. Owen as clerk.

CHINA MONTHLY MEETING, held at 8 p.m. on the Fourth Day following the second Fifth Day. Marion E. Jones, clerk. Worship at 10:30 a.m. as a part of the Community Fellowship Church at **South China, Me.** Thomas F. Griffith, pastor.

MAPLE GROVE MONTHLY MEETING, held irregularly. Ruth A. Howard, clerk. The meeting house at **Maple Grove, Me.** (on Route 1A, 6 miles south of Fort Fairfield,) is used occasionally.

NORTH FAIRFIELD MONTHLY MEETING, held following worship on the third First Day in Fourth, Seventh, Ninth and Tenth Mos. Leona G. Stevens, clerk. Worship at 10:30 a.m. from Fourth through Tenth Mos. in the meeting house at **North Fairfield, Me.** (8 miles north of Waterville.)

OAK GROVE MONTHLY MEETING, held at 7 p.m. on the third Third Day in each month, except Sixth through Eighth Mos. Robert E. Owen, clerk. Worship at 11 a.m. (Ninth Mo. 15 to Sixth Mo. 15) in the meeting house of Oak Grove School, **Vassalboro, Me.**

VASSALBORO MONTHLY MEETING, held at 8 p.m. on the second First Day in each month. Annabel I. Cates, clerk. Worship at 9:30 a.m. in the meeting house at **East Vassalboro, Me.** Claude Nutter, pastor.

WINTHROP MONTHLY MEETING, held at 7:30 p.m. on the last First Day in each month from Fourth through Tenth Mos., and at 2:30 p.m. from Eleventh through Third Mos. Hazel C. Foster, clerk. Worship at 11 a.m. in the meeting house at **Winthrop Center, Me.** (4 miles east of Winthrop), except at 10 a.m. during Seventh and Eighth Mos.

FRIENDS MEETINGS IN NEW ENGLAND BELONGING TO OTHER YEARLY MEETINGS

Monkton Ridge Monthly Meeting, Vt. (N. Y.) Worship at 9:30 a.m. in the meeting house. Marjorie L. Lawrence, clerk.

Newtown Preparative Meeting, Conn. (N. Y.) Worship at 11 a.m. at Junior High School, Queen St., Newtown. Audrey Bielefield, clerk.

Portsmouth (Rhode Island Monthly Meeting), R. I. (Ohio) Worship at 11 a.m. in the meeting house on Middle Road at Hadley St. Marguerite Briggs, clerk.

Stamford Monthly Meeting, Conn. (N. Y.) Worship at 10 a.m. in the meeting house at the corner of Roxbury Ave. and Westover Rd. (at the Den Rd., exit of the Merritt Parkway). Peter Bentley, clerk.

Wilton Monthly Meeting, Conn. (N. Y.) Worship at 11 a.m. in the meeting house at the corner of Kingdom and Reservoir Rds. Marion Davis, clerk.

INDEPENDENT MEETINGS IN NEW ENGLAND

Bennington, Vt. Worship at 3 p.m. in the Old Bennington Schoolhouse. Dorothy Allen, clerk.

Worcester, Mass. Pleasant Street Friends Meeting. Worship at 11 a.m. at 901 Pleasant St. Francis J. Wheeler, clerk. Frances L. Reid, corresp.

OCCASIONAL FRIENDS MEETINGS FOR WORSHIP IN NEW ENGLAND

Adams, Mass., held at 3 p.m. on the second First Day in Ninth Mo. in the meeting house on Friend St. Lucy A. Booth, Corresp.

Casco, Me., held at 2:30 p.m. each First Day during Seventh Mo. through Labor Day in the meeting house at Quaker Ridge. Priscilla Rushmore, corresp.

Dartmouth, Mass., held at 3 p.m. on the last First Day in Seventh Mo. in the Apponegansett meeting house, near Russells Mills, Julia Howland, corresp.

Henniker, N. H., held at 10:30 a.m. on the first Fifth Day in Eighth Mo. in the meeting house. Henry T. Osborne, corresp.

Little Compton, R. I., held at 3 p.m. on the last First Day in Eighth Mo. in the meeting house. Carleton C. Brownell, corresp.

Jamestown, R. I., held at 10:30 a.m. each First Day in Seventh and Eighth Mos. in the meeting house on Route 138 on the island (near the old windmill). Catharine M. Wright, corresp.

Nantucket, Mass., held at 10:45 a.m. each First Day in Seventh and Eighth Mos. in the meeting house on Fair St. Hanna D. Monaghan, corresp.

North Pembroke, Mass., held at 3:30 p.m. on the third First Day in Seventh and Eighth Mos., and the second First Day in Ninth Mo., in the meeting house at the junction of Route 3 and 139. Margaret C. Dumas, Secretary.

Unity, N. H., held at 11 a.m. on the first First Day in Eighth Mo. in the meeting house at Quaker City (7 miles south of Claremont). Henry T. Osborne, corresp.

Waterville, Me., held first and third First Day evenings at 8 p.m. in the Colby Chapel. George Keller, corresp.

West Epping, N. H., held at 2 p.m. on the first First Day in Tenth Mo. in the meeting house. John B. Folsom, corresp.

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Third Day

1. The three hundred second session of the New England Yearly Meeting of Friends meeting at Pembroke College in Providence, Rhode Island, Sixth Month 19-24, 1962.

With Divine assistance may we use these days together to strengthen our bodies, our minds, and our hearts for the tasks ahead.

Fourth Day

2. A memorial was read for Alice B. Farnham.

MEMORIAL TO ALICE B. FARNHAM

A faithful, dedicated Friend, Alice B. Farnham passed away on January 17, 1962, at her home in Portland, Maine, at the age of eighty-one. A life-long resident of Portland, she was graduated from local schools and served many years as director of the Portland branch of the Corporation Trust Company.

She was a member of the Society of Friends for thirty-nine years, giving freely of her time and resources in the local Meeting, Quarterly Meeting and Yearly Meeting. A person of many talents and understanding love, she enriched the lives of all who knew her, and will live on as an inspiration in our memories.

3. A memorial for Myron I. Jenness was read.

MEMORIAL TO MYRON I. JENNESS

Gonic friends marked the death of Myron I. Jenness, Twelfth Month, Sixth Day, 1961 at the age of sixty-nine. He was educated in the Rochester Schools and attended Friends University, Wichita, Kansas. He operated a successful diversified farm in Gonic throughout his life, was proprietor of an insurance agency and Director and Executive for many years of the Farm Bureau Insurance Company.

He represented the Society of Friends in the work of the United Protestant Association at the University of New Hampshire and was a director of The Meeting School, Rindge. During his lifetime Myron Jenness accepted service in nearly every office and committee of

Friends in New England. In recent years he was on the Permanent Board, Central Advisory Committee, Huntington Home Committee, China Camp Committee and Missionary Committee.

Myron Jenness was an ever present source of help and strength to those in his own meeting as well as throughout New England. He was often moved to speak in meeting and did so to the edification and satisfaction of those present. His concern for the general welfare of meetings took him on many visits throughout New England where he brought a strong message of encouragement. A man of strong concerns he never failed to urge by example and word, action to lift a concern. His life was a living witness to his acceptance that his faith in God was good.

4. The Clerk welcomed the members of Junior Yearly Meeting who have worshiped with us this morning.

5. The Roll of Representatives was called.

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NORTHWEST: Thomas Bassett, Susan Chambers, William Chambers, George Little, Walter Wilson.

RHODE ISLAND: Elizabeth Foster, Marjorie B. Taylor, Caleb A. Smith, Thomas Perry, Henry C. Foster.

SALEM: Katherine Haviland, Edna Haviland, Franklin Pineo, George Selleck, Florence Selleck, Jane Burgess, Ruth Pineo, Grace Luder, Frances Gove.

SANDWICH: Ida M. Mesner, Evelyn Weston, Dorothy Williamson, Philip Miller, Philip Cornell, Margaret Douglas, Karl Erickson, Ernest H. Weed.

SMITHFIELD: Kenneth Strobel, Doris Mowry, Bessie Ewen, Nellie Fisher, Edith Ware, Willard Ware, Jane Cook.

VASSALBORO: Grace Frost, Helen Meader, Ralph Greene, Eleanor Bailey, Robert Owen, Leona Stevens, Miriam Jones, Eleanor Wilson.

6. The Junior Yearly Meeting holding its thirty-third session brought a message of greeting to this Meeting delivered by their Clerk, Gerald Bliss.

7. Winslow Osborne and Edna C. Haviland were asked to take a message to the Junior Yearly Meeting from this Meeting.

8. Colin Bell and Esther Rhoads from Philadelphia Yearly Meeting, Barrett Hollister from Yellow Springs Ohio, Gilbert Perleberg of New York Yearly Meeting, Norman and Mabel Young from Indiana Yearly Meeting, Milton and Freda Hadley of Western Yearly Meeting, Paul Lacey from Philadelphia Yearly Meeting and Margaret Lacey from Iowa Yearly Meet-

ing (Conservative), Norman Morrison from North Carolina Yearly Meeting, Mary Hoxie Jones, Philadelphia Yearly Meeting, and Elizabeth Smiley and Helen Durgin from New York Yearly Meeting are here and were recognized as welcome visitors to our sessions.

9. The summary of the Minutes of the Permanent Board was read by Winslow Osborne and its action was approved.

MINUTES OF THE PERMANENT BOARD SUMMARY

1961-62

Since the 1961 session of Yearly Meeting, three regular meetings of the Permanent Board have been held. One was held on Sixth Month 25th, 1961 at Brunswick, Maine, with 28 members present; a second on Second Month 22, 1962 at Cambridge, Massachusetts, attended by 21 members; and a third on Sixth Month 19th at Providence, Rhode Island, with 25 members in attendance.

Winslow H. Osborne was reappointed presiding clerk and John H. Foster was reappointed recording clerk.

The Board approved a request that the Yearly Meeting sponsor, with other Friends' bodies, "The Friends Witness for World Order," held in Washington, D.C. from Fourth Month 28th to Fifth Month 1st, 1962, and appointed two overseers for the Witness. The Board also expressed its concern that such a witness should not become an annual occurrence based on habit and asked Yearly Meeting members to express this concern as way opens.

The Board authorized the purchase of a house in Providence, Rhode Island, for the use of Moses Brown School and authorized borrowing up to $32,000 to pay for it.

Progress was reported in obtaining a decision on the Maine State inheritance tax liability on the bequest of Lucy Melcher. It was reported that the bequest by Lydia T. Jones Bacon has been paid.

The Board accepted, on behalf of the Yearly Meeting, a gift of seven shares of American Telephone and Telegraph stock, the income from which is to be recorded as an annual contribution to the Yearly Meeting from the West Falmouth Preparative Meeting.

The Board and its Newport and Portsmouth Property Committee have continued efforts to reach satisfactory decisions regarding the property and records of the former Rhode Island Monthly Meeting in Newport, Rhode Island. Satisfactory membership arrangements for the three members of this meeting at the time it was laid down were reported. The establishment at Newport of a new Monthly Meeting of the Ohio Yearly Meeting, (Damascus) was noted. The Newport Meeting House has not yet been sold. The Board also appointed a committee to renew and maintain our fellowship with Friends in Portsmouth and Newport, Rhode Island and expressed appreciation that the Committee had visited Friends in both places.

The Board heard a report that over $80,000 had been raised by the New England Friends Home Committee for reconstruction of the Hingham Home. Authorization of the use of the principal and income of the Dixon Trust for the New England Friends Home has been obtained from the Suffolk County Probate Court. After authorization by the Board, the Dixon Trust Funds were transferred from Philadelphia, Pennsylvania to New England and placed under the management of the Yearly Meeting Board of Managers of Investments and Permanent Funds.

A committee was appointed to explore the possibilities of hiring a part-time or full-time Yearly Meeting Youth and Christian Education Worker. The Committee reported that the usefulness of such a worker was generally recognized but that financing him was an unresolved problem. The Committee was asked to continue its investigations.

In accordance with a reminder from the Committee on Committee Structure, we removed the name of one member of the Board who has been inactive for more than one year because he now resides outside the Yearly Meeting area, and requested the Nominating Committee to nominate a replacement.

The Board accepted a recommendation of the Central Advisory Committee that the position of Yearly Meeting Recorder be discontinued, as of Yearly Meeting, 1962. A committee was appointed to consider revision of the statistical blanks on which membership and other data are recorded and to make recommendations regarding the collection and sunmarization of these data.

Several concerns associated with our testimony against capital punishment were brought before the Board. The Board approved the sending of a suitable letter stating the Friends testimony against capital punishment and requesting commutation of sentence for the condemned individuals to the proper officials in each case brought to the attention of the Board. The Board also asked that the Yearly Meeting Committee on Social Concerns be responsible for drafting suitable letters for the Clerk's signature in future cases when the Committee and the Clerk are concerned to express our testimony.

The Board reaffirmed the practice that Board Meetings are closed meetings except when the Board specifically invites non-members to sit with it. Requests by non-members to attend Board meetings are to be made to the clerk.

The Board expressed its desire to receive a report from Vassalboro Quarterly Meeting on the condition of Maple Grove Meeting which reportedly has been inactive for several years.

The Board heard memorials to the following Friends: Albert N. and Mary L. Haines Smith, Helen Walker, Clara Hawkes, Arthur Jones, Myron I. Jenness, Gertrude F. Smith, James Arthur Weagle, and Alice B. Farnham. After establishing the principle that only those memorials to Friends who were active in the Yearly Meeting should be fowarded to the Yearly Meeting, the Board approved of forwarding seven of these memorials and also the memorial to Alice Howland Macomber, to be read to the Yearly Meeting and to be printed in the Yearly Meeting Minutes.

WINSLOW H. OSBORNE, Clerk
JOHN H. FOSTER, Recording Clerk

10. The Report of the Yearly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel was presented by George T. Little and approved.

SUMMARY REPORT OF THE NEW ENGLAND YEARLY MEETING ON MINISTRY AND COUNSEL

Ministry and Counsel of New England Yearly Meeting gathered for its annual session at Providence, Rhode Island, at 2 p.m. on 19th day, 6th month, 1962. Mabel G. Bailey, Clerk, read the opening minute and the meeting silently thought and prayed for the world's need for unity in peace.

The names of appointed representatives from Quarterly Meetings were read. Some seventy Friends were present.

The Meeting recorded an expression of appreciation for the lives of Friends who have been active in previous sessions on Ministry and Counsel, suggesting that a note be sent to their families in addition to memorials presented by the Permanent Board.

Keith Smiley, Clerk of New York Yearly Meeting's Ministry and Counsel, spoke on "The Functions of Ministry and Counsel". He discussed the widest conceivable purposes of ministering and counselling, selecting as primary functions those of nurturing faith both to endure and to let God direct right action, and of aiding in the process of self-discovery.

The Meeting approved of a report by the Continuation Committee which presented several matters of concern:

1. Plans for the uniting of the worship and business sessions at Yearly Meeting, and for the final united worship, in part free and in part programmed, for the last session.
2. Joint sponsorship with Beacon Hill Friends House of a program, of "Quaker Dialogues".
3. Visits to the Meetings of Friends in Worcester.
4. A change in the name of the Continuation Committee to that of Interim Committee.

Quarterly Meetings' concerns were received on the matter of the responsibilities of members of Ministry and Counsel and on the matter of Friends' funerals.

Samuel Burgess, Clerk, and Herbert Kimball, Recording Clerk, were nominated and approved to serve for the year ending after the sessions in 1963. The Worship Committe to care for the sessions in 1963 was nominated and approved with Dorothy Averill, Peter Jonitis, and Jeannette Smith as members. The next Nominating Committee for Ministry and Counsel was appointed to consist of Marian Cartland, Edna Haviland, and Margaret Hoag.

The Meeting adjourned at 3:30 p.m., to meet as permitted in full session in 1963.

MABEL G. BAILEY, Clerk
GEORGE T. LITTLE, Recording Clerk

11. Attention was called to the reports of Spiritual Condition in our Quarterly Meetings, which will be considered this afternoon.

12. The Statistical Report was presented by the Recorder, Edward A. Manice (See Tabulated Statements on page 50). These figures can come alive if we read this report remembering the individuals from our own Meetings who are represented by this carefully prepared report.

13. Friends are urged to keep in mind the need to nurture the interest and concerns of Associate Members who are over twenty-one years of age and help them become active in our Meetings. One Meeting has taken definite action in appoint-

ing a counsellor for each Young Friend as he enters the age for Junior High School hoping that guidance during this period will help bring young Friends into full membership. The responsibility on individuals is particularly noticeable in this field for we are so aware that it must often be the sensitive handling of individuals that is crucial to the making of a right decision.

14. Epistles from two new Yearly Meetings were presented during the period of worship preceeding the business of the afternoon. The South Central Yearly Meeting in Texas and the South Eastern Yearly Meeting in Florida have grown out of Conferences which have been held in those two areas and have been attended by some Friends from here. We welcome these messages as evidences of growth and outreach.

15. The reports of Spiritual Condition in our Quarterly Meetings were considered.

CONNECTICUT VALLEY QUARTERLY MEETING

A heartening sense of vitality, of searching, and of growth, together with an acute awareness of shortcomings, appears in the seven reports on the spiritual condition of the six Monthly Meetings and the one Indulged Meeting that make up the Connecticut Valley Quarterly Meeting.

This sense of life is evidenced in various ways. While individual members are much involved in work for various Quaker testimonies - peace, racial equality, abolition of capital punishment, et al., there is little corporate Meeting expression of them. The work for the most part is done through outside organizations. Relief work continues to be centered in our Meetings. A formidable tonnage of clothing and bedding, collected, sorted, and cleaned, is sent from our Meetings to needy areas in the world, an expression of our belief that we are all children of one Father.

Coming to the center of our corporate life, the Meeting for Worship, we find that most of the comments deal with vocal ministry. This is true even of Hartford's pamphlet, **Gathered in My Name.** The same criticisms tend to recur: the ministry is limited to too few, or speakers follow one another too closely, not leaving time for meditation on what has just been said, or, some speakers, not basing what they have to say on spiritual values, offer material better suited to a forum.

The Meeting for Business is not spoken of separately in most of the reports, but what Hartford calls our greatest need is certainly relevant to our Meetings for Business as to all our intercourse and fellowship. It is the need for greater tenderness and patience with the views and beliefs of others. This year Hartford asked all members of Ministry and Counsel and all present at a certain Meeting for Business to write two observations on the spiritual condition of the Meeting. The final report was based on these observations.

In conclusion it can be said that Connecticut Valley Friends, though humbled by their shortcomings, are happy in their respective Meetings, feeling unity with the aims, rejoicing in the fellowship offered, and finding in the Meeting spiritual support for their daily lives.

DOVER QUARTERLY MEETING

Reports from the various meetings in Dover Quarterly Meeting express gratitude to the small group of people in each meeting who give faithful and devoted service. However, all meetings feel the need of better attendance.

Two meetings serve as community churches, and as such are reaching a larger number of people, many of whom are not Friends. It is felt that this is a valuable contribution to the community in which each meeting is located.

Both the programmed and the unprogrammed meetings in the Quarterly Meeting stress the importance of the Bible Schools, and are encouraged by the young people who are beginning to take more responsibility. The greatest need seeems to be more spiritual leaders who will guide these young people, and others, into active participation in the religious life of the meeting.

FALMOUTH QUARTERLY MEETING

Scattered feelings of uneasiness are pervading the Falmouth Quarter. While some Meetings report an increase in outreach and spiritual perception, others appeal for help to prevent complete disintegration of organized activity. Leadership is uncertain from year to year as the membership slowly declines. A study group and good fellowship, coupled with invigorating messages by the pastor and the joy of music, encourages growth of spiritual qualities. Nevertheless, attendance at meeting for business and at Sunday School is regretfully sparse. Greater vision and participation is needed.

Windham feels a growing unity of purpose and of fellowship in its endeavor to keep the Meeting going in the way of Friends. Attendance is increasing, and a missionary spirit is being cultivated. Forest Avenue speaks of a small remnant of dedicated Friends who are keenly aware of many shortcomings. With humility and serious discussion they consider the future.

Sandwich is struggling to overcome tensions and divisions in its midst. Hope is expressed for healing and spiritual growth and a deepening experience of the richness of worship in the Quaker tradition. Durham is active in visitation in the community, in prayer, in study and youth groups, and active in missions and in sewing. Several associate members have recently chosen active membership. Harmony and a richness of spirit are evident.

Some of our people seem to have tapped deep sources of inspiration and refreshment and are actively at peace. Others are restless and unsatisfied or are only vaguely aware of the call of the Master. How to bring healing and commitment to those of us who are slow in spirit is a big challenge!

NORTHWEST QUARTERLY MEETING

The Meeting for Worship, core of our Meetings, is faithfully attended in Burlington and Hanover, with prayer, silent communion and thoughtful speaking giving breadth and depth to this beloved time together. Burlington notes the enriching of the spoken ministry by the Meeting's Bible study.

Our First Day Schools continued to serve our younger members. Burlington felt concern for the need of older children, who stay through Worship, for a First Day School program. Hanover felt a need for more student outreach, visitation and communication with outlying Friends.

Basic questions stirred Friends. They sought a common ground on controversial matters such as civil defense. They questioned their motives in publicizing their giving to the United Nations. Consideration of such things, after the manner of Friends, was found to lead to right answers, in time. A sense of having "to meet the issues of world peace lest the night of war come when no man can work" permeated Friends. Burlington Friends sponsored a well-attended conference on Africa addressed by the Assistant Secretary of State for African Affairs and by African leaders. Abolition of capital punishment, racial and religious equality, the proper treatment of offenders and work with peace groups were activities claiming Friends' attention.

Friends feel a sense of satisfaction in meeting and working together but are aware of the need for more sharing of each others' lives, for more sincerity and simplicity, for more inward retirement, for due apportionment of time for the family, spiritual growth and secular responsibility. Growth and change have marked our Meetings, and we have been led to truer thanksgiving and greater trust.

RHODE ISLAND QUARTERLY MEETING

In our meetings we recognize that worshipping and mingling together have given us renewed faith and courage. From time to time, inspired messages point the way to greater faith and impress us with the certainty that we each have an individual work to do, to help in every possible way to make a better world.

A lack of regular attendance at meetings for worship on the part of those active otherwise in the meeting, Providence feels, weakens their meeting and leaves them puzzled. They have a large number of youthful attenders which gives a sense of urgency to the quest for gathering in the Holy Spirit. Often times these have entered into the spirit of participation and it is now for the members to guide and define this interest into functioning worship.

All of our Friends join socially in a larger community. The degree to which we can use this sense of the community in furthering all activities within a working religious framework, will profoundly affect how we meet problems of family relations, youth and education and personal standards of living.

Our conclusion then rests on how we as individuals can answer the last question in the Fourth Query: "Do you so live that the spiritual growth, family life, the interests of the church and public welfare may have their due share of your time and thought?"

SALEM QUARTERLY MEETING

"A very small remnant" remains in Amesbury Monthly Meeting, after the removal of many Friends from the Huntington Home there to the New England Friends Home in Hingham. Those who remain are, however, intensely dedicated to continuing and enlarging the influence of Friends in that historic spot, and in many ways, Amesbury is one of the strongest Meetings in our Quarter.

Cambridge Meeting is concerned that its common ministry may fail to reach every member, but sees a strong spiritual center to its active committees, its physical growth, the new Cambridge Friends School, and the strong preparative and allowed Meetings at Acton, Hingham, and Beacon Hill.

The spiritual life of the members of Lawrence Meeting finds expression in the Meetings for Worship, for business, and on Ministry and Counsel. Such life is a rich one, is shared by young and old, and is often expressed in the community and among Friends by participation in many activities.

The growth in membership and in the number and kinds of activities of Lynn Meeting reflect a strengthening of the spirit there, and a continuation by those Friends in the "Quaker way of life" in the Society and in their community.

The Friends who meet at Wellesley share the struggles and satisfactions of a growing meeting, finding close communion with one another through their strong concerns to continue to learn and grow in the Life of the Spirit. Through increased activity in youth and adult education, and in careful attention to the spiritual life of the Meeting and to the spiritual welfare of one another, and in many other ways, they have grown in the Spirit.

Thus our Salem Quarterly Meeting has enjoyed physical and spiritual growth this past year, and perhaps because of the struggles, problems and upheavals, rather than despite them, we find our spiritual condition to be good.

SANDWICH QUARTERLY MEETING

The reports received from the Meetings within Sandwich Quarterly Meeting have expressed for the most part a marked growth in the spiritual condition. All report their Meetings for Worship, held regularly, are times of inspiration and sharing. For the most there is pastoral leadership with an opportunity for both silence and expression during the worship service. All are concerned with maintaining and strengthening the "Friends' Way" in the midst of a troubled world.

All report a concern for adherence to the Peace Testimony of Friends by individual personal and private Peace Vigils. Ministry and Counsel is at work in all Meetings offering guidance where needed.

While most of the Meetings of Sandwich Quarterly Meeting are old in service and experience we are wonderfully blest by the rebirth and growth of the Meeting at Yarmouth led by young adults with a sincerity and depth of purpose so necessary to the spiritual growth of any meeting.

Sandwich Quarterly Meeting feels that while there are still problems to be solved there is within each Meeting a devoted corps carrying out God's purpose and design. There is a marked Spiritual Awareness and searching for Divine Guidance in all the Meetings. For this we are humbly thankful and ask that God's presence may penetrate even deeper in the coming year.

SMITHFIELD QUARTERLY MEETING

It is only through external aspects that the spiritual condition of the Meeting can be evaluated. If we classified these outward manifestations of the spiritual condition of a meeting, we might list:

1. The effect of the Meeting on the Community.
2. The effect of the Meeting on individuals outside the Meeting.
3. The effect of the Meeting on individuals within the Meeting.

In the third classification our meetings seem to meet the needs of many members; with training in Quaker ideals for children and adults, for social and group activities together and in warm friendship. It is freely recognized that these interests and activities, satisfying as they are, do not affect people outside the Meeting to any great extent.

We do help support the Yearly Meeting and its programs and obligations. We do participate in concerns of national and international importance through our Peace and Social Concerns Committees and the Mission Board. But perhaps we need most of all to involve ourselves in continuing projects of community responsibility, to concern ourselves more directly in the lives of others outside our Meetings.

VASSALBORO QUARTERLY MEETING

Two of the Meetings in our Quarter lost their pastoral leadership by death. Though the future seemed uncertain, members felt their responsibility more keenly and were guided to new sources of leadership which have proved a blessing. Attendance has increased and members have felt a spiritual uplift.

Three of our meetings have active youth groups, with worship, recreation and service. One meeting is concerned about how to interest some young married couples to participate actively in the Meeting. An unprogrammed meeting for worship meets twice a month in one meeting house.

There is a drawing nearer to the real leadership of God. We feel our own failures and without the help of God we fail of truly giving the glory of all work to Him.

Encouragement was expressed for small groups meeting at regular intervals to continue. The result may not be evident at the time but may strengthen individuals and lead to the establishment of new meetings.

16. Replacements and new members for the Permanent Board were forwarded by the Nominating Committee and they were approved. Members-at-Large of the Executive Council were read and approved.

17. Marion Smith brought greetings from a new Monthly Meeting established in Bennington, Vermont in Northwest Quarter. There are now eleven members in this group which has been meeting more than a dozen years but not always in this place.

18. Barrett Hollister, Chairman of the Friends General Conference, presented the report of that group. This is perhaps one of the most free and open Quaker vehicles with a tradition of venturesomeness. The Biennial Conference which has been held at Cape May, New Jersey in recent times, is a large meeting reaching out to a very large number of Friends.

The Meeting House Fund has helped in a financial way but perhaps even more important it has been ready to advise Friends who were considering building. A small committee is working on ways to preserve contributions to meetings through recordings and documents. A very much larger work is the Religious Education which must be carried on all of the time to keep us ready to move forward with each new generation of Friends, prepared for the tasks that confront them.

We are grateful for the work of the Friends General Conference which with a rather small staff finds it possible to explore rapidly changing patterns of service to Meetings.

19. Thyra Jane Foster has made careful arrangements for Friends while in Rhode Island to become acquainted with some of the history of this area.

20. Russell Brooks in presenting the report of the Central Advisory Committee reminds us that it is a momentous time when this committee will be laid down and its major work carried by new committees; namely, Meetings and Extension Committee and the Executive Council.

One concern presented last year is re-emphasized. There is a need for a person to work with Young Friends directly. The means for this project have not been found. The need is still before us.

REPORT OF THE CENTRAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE

There have been two major concerns before us throughout the year: our relation to the work of the Field Secretary and the work of helping to get the Yearly Meeting reorganization under way.

The first is always exciting, for we have a sense of being close to the basic life of Friends in this region, as our secretary tells of his visits to meetings, of special needs here, of an interesting project there, or a new meeting group somewhere else. He also keeps us informed of committee activity and of the assistance he gives to the work of the Camp Committee, Young Friends, the Christian Education Committee, and several others. During this year especially, he has demonstrated the usefulness of committee coordination by his visiting from one group to another and clearing through the Central Advisory Committee. Perhaps this is a happy indication of the kind of relationship which may well develop under the new departmental set-up.

In implementing the reorganization plan, as this committee was instructed to do, we have made pertinent recommendations from time to time to the following committees: Arrangements, Nominating, Peace and Social Concerns. We have further moved ahead to establish during this past year the new Committee on Meetings and Extension, so that it could begin to function at once.

It has been this committee's responsibility to oversee the work of the Yearly Meeting recorder and we have reviewed this work fully at several meetings. We have also been charged with the oversight of the Yearly Meeting Office and have reason to be grateful for the service given us by Clarabel Marstaller throughout the year.

Recommendations

1) The Central Advisory Committee recommends to the Yearly Meeting that the New Executive Council be authorized to take under its care the further development of the functioning of departments and programming for the next Yearly Meeting, under the reorgani-

zation plan as approved by the 1961 Yearly Meeting.

2) The Central Advisory Committee recommends that Louis Marstaller be retained as Field Secretary for the coming year.

The committee further recommends that $300.00 be added to the stipend for Field Secretary, and that the appropriate amount be added to the retirement fund.

RUSSELL D. BROOKS, Chairman

The two recommendations included in the Central Advisory Committee Report were approved.

21. The Meeting of Representatives sent the following report: The Nominating Committee presents the following slate of Clerks for Yearly Meeting for the coming year:

Presiding Clerk	Thomas R. Bodine
Recording Clerk	Miriam E. Jones
Reading Clerks	Thomas Bassett Gordon Browne, Jr.

These clerks are to take office at the close of this Yearly Meeting session and to serve through the sessions of the 1963 Yearly Meeting or until their successors are appointed. These were approved.

22. The report of the Field Secretary was presented. He urges us to be aware of the face we present to others in our community and to be alert to new responsibilities that open before us.

REPORT OF THE FIELD SECRETARY

During the past year I visited 23 quarterly meetings, 26 different local meetings for worship, 48 yearly meeting and quarterly meeting committee meetings, Ministry and Counsel sessions, uncounted days at China Camp, conferred with many committee chairmen, ministers and secretaries, various individual members, and attended memorial services and special events. Such visits give one many diverse impressions of the Yearly Meeting. I make the following comments trying to see the whole group, aware that some meetings are exceptions.

The faith and desire to follow God's will are shown by the concerns of many members. The lesser faith of some of us sometimes impedes action of meetings and committees, and our forward motion is seemingly slow. Because of sometimes petty differences within a meeting we have not reflected the clear message of love, peace, and goodwill, with the result our whole society is suffering. It has been brought to my attention that the lack of adequate Sunday School or youth programs has caused several families to leave and associate with other religious groups in the past year. The increased use of non-members in positions of leadership in our meetings, schools, service projects, etc., certainly indicates a loss of vitality and clarity of message.

The lack of growth of our membership compared with an increasing population shows we are not communicating our message. In a day of moving, expanding populations, when the individual is being treated more as a number than a son of God, Friends should try harder to share the idea of the availability of the Presence of God to every man.

We need to love, pray, and act if our society is to continue. God has left it to us to do whatever we can with the Light that is ours. I feel that our greatest need at present is to strengthen old and establish new meetings for worship and programs of Christian Education. Most of our effort should be concentrated on this basic aspect of our Society if we are to continue to witness to the truth we have experienced.

LOUIS MARSTALLER, Field Secretary

23. Harold Myers presented the report of the Meetings and Extension Committee which follows:

REPORT OF THE MEETINGS AND EXTENSION COMMITTEE

The formation of the Meetings and Extension Committee, it seems, is a further step in attempting to provide an organ for supplying assistance to local meetings. Two meetings of the Committee indicate a seriousness on the part of the members. We regard our job as two-fold, assisting existing meetings and taking steps in the establishing of new ones.

Concerns of the Committee include: 1. A more effective propagation of our message and mission through all our existing institutions. 2. Forming an extensive "pool" of Friends willing to visit First Day morning meetings. 3. Establishing contacts in college communities where there are no Friends meetings. 4. Arranging mobile meetings for worship and traveling symposia. 5. Further use and development of the technique known as Quaker Dialogues. 6. Visiting Friends not actually participating in Friends' affairs, or families, with the hope of establishing new meetings. 7. Soliciting monthly, quarterly, and yearly meetings needing assistance and aid in the work of extension.

We envision roving bands of concerned Friends moving from meeting to meeting. We believe the day of the traveling ministry has again arrived. We individually are the ministers of our day. Should we not be about our Father's Business? Has there been a more effective means than the traveling ministry? This is a corporate enterprise demanding the best efforts of all.

HAROLD MYERS, Acting Chairman

We are challenged to go forward in new avenues of dedicated service.

Jane Cook, secretary to this Committee, told some of the plans that have been made and described ways that each person can help in outreach to existing meetings and meet the needs of non-resident members of Friends.

24. Friends wish at this time to express appreciation for the careful work George Bliss has done as Clerk of this Yearly Meeting. We are mindful that his service has come at a time when his life seemed full with important activities in many other endeavors. Yet he has managed to arrange his schedule in a way that accomplished all of these activities.

25. Ernest H. Weed, Resident Director, of Beacon Hill

House reported on this project, now in its fifth year of operation. It is a residence for students and Friends engaged in study, research, or training for leadership. There is a wide range of background represented by the people who live and work together here. The spirit of cooperation that has grown during this year has had a deep effect on the lives of the members of this group. As they scatter for varied experiences at the close of this academic year they will carry something of distinctive patterns of Quaker worship and service with them.

26. Russell D. Brooks, Director of Woolman Hill, brought a report of the past year at this Conference Center in the Berkshire Hills. A new avenue of service is opening here. It is the training of persons who anticipate work abroad. This work is new but grows out of the program that has been going on here for the past eight years. There will need to be an additional person on the staff ready to carry this challenging new undertaking.

Woolman Hill meets the needs of groups within and outside the family of Friends and receives contributions from some sources other than Friends to carry on this valuable work.

27. Eva Pratt Owen, one of the Principals of Oak Grove School, read the report from that School. There were thirty-three students graduated this year. For a number of years there has been a special emphasis on promoting peace through international understanding, and the School has helped to carry out this work by having many members of the faculty and student body from abroad.

There are plans underway for expansion of the classroom wing of the main building which will also provide space for an auditorium and gymnasium.

28. George Bliss gave the report of The Meeting School for the past year. Since the Meeting for Worship is central to the life of the school, the graduation is a called Meeting for Worship. The Minutes that are used at the conclusion of their work show the variety in the students who were graduated this year. They are enthusiastic, able individuals who have gained from and contributed to the program of this unusual school.

The first year of the intersession, which has provided new experiences for high school pupils, has made it seem a very worthwhile experiment. Students worked in hospitals, and schools, some visited an Indian community, some a Mexican village, and some went to Jamaica and Haiti.

29. A letter from Helen Campbell, an Irish Friend who attended our sessions last year sends greetings to this Meeting.

Fifth Day

30. A memorial for Clara Hawkes was read.

MEMORIAL TO CLARA HAWKES

Clara Hawkes was a devoted worker for the Worcester Meeting Society of Friends, one of the sweetest, gentlest souls that ever lived. Never a harsh or censorious word fell from her lips. She was a person of infinite patience, the soul of reverence. She and Arthur lived a life of love and devotion, and the value of their united efforts for the Society of Friends cannot be put into words. They served this Meeting long and faithfully.

The gentle sweetness of Clara Hawkes' life will linger long in the memory of those who loved her. What she accomplished she did with such grace, and the energy which she gave so freely for others finally resulted in a real tax upon her health and strength, and a long illness resulted, which continued until she was relieved of suffering and entered into Life Eternal. Her life and deeds will continue to live and perpetuate themselves.

So we record in these very humble and altogether inadequate words our feelings and her virtues, acknowledging in her a contribution and service of inestimable value to this Meeting and the Society of Friends in general.

31. A memorial was read for Arthur Jones.

MEMORIAL TO ARTHUR JONES

This Minute is a Testimony to the life of service which Arthur Jones laid down on June 25, 1961. The pastor of the Winthrop Center Friends Meeting, Winthrop, Maine passed away in a local nursing home.

Arthur Jones was born in 1880 in Tonganoxie, Kansas; and served for fifty-three years as pastor of the Winthrop Friends Meeting, beginning as a student pastor while attending Yale Divinity School. He also held pastorates in Kansas City, Missouri and Lynn, Massachusetts, and was Clerk of the New England Yearly Meeting of Friends for eleven years. He had been vice president of the Interdenominational Commission of Maine, and trustee of Oak Grove School for forty years. He served as president of the Maine Children's Home Society; was a member of the Winthrop School Committee and chairman of the High School Building Committee. For thirty-five years he was on the Charles M. Bailey Library Board in Winthrop and served for many years as Treasurer of the Library. He was active in Red Cross work in France during World War I and stayed in France to participate in relief and rehabilitation work with the American Friends Service Committee. He was married to Florence Davis of Aurora, Illinois, who died in 1946. Surviving are two daughters, a sister and four grandchildren. He was a tireless worker for Friends' mission programs.

All who came in contact with him loved this humble servant of the Lord. He was a simple man, without pretention. His dry Quaker humor and his compassionate understanding endeared him to all who met him. Arthur Jones was tolerant, wise and a scholar. Many sought his counsel and found his quiet sympathy and understanding always helpful. He was truly a great man and a deeply spiritual person; one who believed in his religion and practiced it all his life. He was first a Quaker but was on good terms with those in all other denominations. Arthur Jones was truly a follower of the Inner Light.

32. Willard H. Ware introduced the subject of Five Years Meeting work and organization. The need to find Friends who are able and dedicated to the work of carrying out programs of the various Boards is a heavy responsibility. For the past three years there has been a careful study of offices to be filled and some reorganization of duties.

Milton Hadley brought the attention of the Meeting to the publications that are available to acquaint Friends with the work of Five Years Meeting.

The work of the Board of Missions in East Africa was presented by Willard Ware who with Edith C. Ware has been in Africa during this past year. The great responsibility of owning land in a country anticipating freedom and our relationship with East Africa Yearly Meeting were matters that required most careful study and the readiness to act. The final decision has been made and now the Trustees of East Africa Yearly Meeting hold the property and a Board of Managers will operate this large responsibility. We are entering a new partnership with East Africa Yearly Meeting and we realize the importance of this change in our relationship to them.

Norman Young, Administrative Secretary of the American Friends Board of Missions enlarged our picture of the work of this Board by giving details of work and personnel in other fields directly under our care. He particularly invites Friends to be making plans for the next sessions of Five Years Meeting to be held in 1963.

Ernest H. Weed presented the need for us to become acquainted with the program for financing the activities of Five Years Meeting. To understand stewardship we must be ready to support these programs and to educate members of the meetings who are not here. We need to take a new look at our financing.

REPORT OF THE FIVE YEARS MEETING COMMITTEE

This report will touch on only two aspects of Five Years Meeting work. The most dramatic developments of Friends work through the Five Years Meeting during the past year have been in Kenya, East Africa. New England Friends have participated substantially in this work. In late August and early September we were represented at the Eighth Session of the Friends World Committee which met at the Friends Africa Mission at Kaimosi, Kenya. This meeting introduced Friends from all over the world to the work carried on by the Five Years Meeting in Kenya for over fifty years and to the achievements of East Africa Yearly Meeting - the largest and fastest growing Yearly Meeting in the world. East Africa Yearly Meeting needs and wants our continuing help, not only money but also skilled personnel. American Friends will be in a new position, skilled staff rather than directors. East Africa Friends will be watching closely to see whether we can fit this new role and whether we maintain our interests as friends now that we no longer control policy. The need now is greater than ever - will we meet the challenge?

The other area of special development of Five Years Meeting activity has especial relevance in view of the increasing demands made upon us as a Society and as individuals and because of the increasing real income and leisure which, on the average, we enjoy. New England Yearly Meeting is represented on the Board on Stewardship and Finance by Ernest H. Weed. This new board with its dynamic secretary, David O. Stanfield, has started to bring us a new understanding of our responsibilities and opportunities.

The askings budget of the Five Years Meeting for 1963 is:

Christian Education	$ 31,865.00
Evangelism and Church Extension	23,125.00
Stewardship and Finance	14,600.00
Missions	190,000.00
Peace and Social Concerns	13,950.00
Christian Vocations	14,000.00
Quaker Life	18,046.00
FYM Administration & Central Offices	57,015.00
Sessions of Five Years Meeting	
Contributions (N.C.C. and W.C.C.)	1,250.00
	$363,851.00

How will New England Yearly Meeting meet its responsibility?

CALEB A. SMITH, Chairman

33. Reports from the Nominating Committee for the Peace and Social Concerns Department, the New England Friends Home Committee, Peace Committee, Social Concerns Committee, Representatives to the American Friends Service Committee, Representatives to the Friends Committee on National Legislation, Finance Department, Auditors of the Permanent Funds, Equalization Fund, and Investments and Permanent Funds Committee were read and approved.

34. The report of China Camp was given by Hazel Meyers. The work of campers in service projects has been planned and carried out along with recreation. The physical needs of the Camp have been met and remarkable improvements made but it remains a simple structure with its strength coming from the cooperation of many Friends in a program that has meant a great deal to our younger Friends. Norman Morrison, the new director for the Camp who comes from North Carolina was introduced.

REPORT OF THE CHINA CAMP COMMITTEE

The China Camp Committee met last June at Bowdoin College to organize for the year. Officers were: Richard S. Gove, Chairman; Hazel W. Meyers, Secretary; and George F. Cates, Treasurer. Three other meetings were held during the year. The China Camp Committee announces the appointment of Norman and Anne Morrison directors of China Camp for the 1962 summer sessions. Norman Morrison this past year taught Bible in a Charlotte, North Carolina high school. He has served the Charlotte Friends Center and Meeting, and has had considerable experience in organizing and directing camps. He will be at Yearly Meeting, working with Junior Yearly Meeting.

Dates for China Camp: July 1-14 - Senior High Session; July 15-28 - Grade School Session (age 9 and over): July 29-August 11 - Junior High Session. As the new directors will need a cabin we are making one available to them. Another cabin is under construction to maintain our full quota of cabins for campers. This new cabin will be ready for the opening of our camp season, thanks to some much appreciated help from some friends. George Cates reports the Camp has been given a boat. A little work and a coat of paint should put it into service.

There was some question of the need for increased income for Camp. The Committee was loath to raise the fee, therefore the camp fee this season will be $35.00 for a two week period, plus $1.00 for insurance.

It was brought to the attention of the Committee that New England Yearly Meeting now owns the Camp Meeting House property and buildings. These were sold to the Yearly Meeting by the China Monthly Meeting for the sum of one dollar. Our thanks are extended to the China Monthly Meeting for this splendid gesture.

May I express our deep appreciation to those who have helped us in so many ways to keep China Camp a successful operation for the benefit of young people. May I remind the members of New England Yearly Meting that this Camp belongs to you.

RICHARD S. GOVE, Chairman

CHINA CAMP COMMITTEE TREASURER'S REPORT

SUMMARY

January 1, 1961 Balance on hand		$1349.40
Income:		
Obadiah Brown Fund	$1200.00	
Providence Monthly Meeting For Improvements	485.00	
Yearly Meeting Budget	100.00	
Contributions: Meetings & Individuals	859.32	
Camp Fees	907.00	
Miscellaneous	58.44	3609.76
Total		$4959.16
Expenses:		
Camp Staff Salaries	725.00	
Food	564.29	
Supplies	75.00	
New Well: Drilling & Plumbing	918.58	
Building Construction & Repairs	476.63	
Additional Property Purchase Including shore frontage on China Lake	1505.00	
Utilities	261.61	
Transportation	70.61	
Insurance	138.00	
Miscellaneous	103.58	4838.30
December 31, 1961 Balance on Hand		$ 120.86

35. Mosher Book and Tract Committee report. Florence Selleck spoke to this report in the absence of Dorothy Averill.

REPORT OF THE MOSHER BOOK AND TRACT COMMITTEE

The quiet work of this committee is felt widely. Its first concern is that of encouragement to all monthly and preparative meetings within the Yearly Meeting in developing adequate libraries. Each Monthly Meeting has been offered a choice of three books from book-lists prepared by the committee and distributed by committee members from each Quarterly Meeting serving on the committee. Preparative Meetings have been offered two books. The response has been nearly 100%.

DOROTHY JEAN AVERILL, Chairman

36. The Friends Council on Education sent its report which was presented by Miriam E. Jones. The Council is making a real effort to make its functions more apparent in the New England Schools. There is a hope that it may be possible to add an experienced person to the staff who will be available to visit, inform and counsel with all Quaker Schools. The Teacher Training Program continues under the able leadership of Irvin Poley. It is one of the Council's aspirations to help organize a similar program in New England. Council meetings are held in various schools and they hope to come to New England for a meeting in the near future. Representatives from New England Schools have been faithful in attending and participating in Conferences and the semi-annual meetings of the Council.

37. The report of the Student Loan Committee was presented by Florence Selleck.

REPORT OF THE STUDENT LOAN COMMITTEE

The Student Loan Fund, first established in 1898, is available to members of New England Yearly Meeting for education at the college level or for work in professional or summer schools. At the present time there are eight outstanding loans. On four of these payments have been made during the past year on the principal as well as interest. Two additional loans have been repaid in full and two new loans have been issued. The financial condition of the fund is found in the report of the Treasurer of the Yearly Meeting.

FLORENCE M. SELLECK, Secretary

38. The epistle from the General Meeting of Australia, meeting at Hobart, Tasmania was read and also the message from Japan Yearly Meeting.

39. Norman E. Young, Administrative Secretary, American Friends Board of Missions, spoke of the various kinds of serv-

ice being undertaken in this time. The Peace Corps attracts our attention and has offered an opportunity for service to many people but we recognize the basic difference between this and a mission, as we have known the term lies in the religious motivation we value. We must be ready to meet changing needs in the field but the dedication and motivation must come from the deep within our religious life.

REPORT OF THE MISSIONARY COMMITTEE

Friends Africa Mission and East Africa Yearly Meeting have become prominent in the minds of New England Friends due to the fact that several Friends were able to visit that area. In August the Friends World Committee for Consultation held its meeting at Friends Africa Mission in Kaimosi. Thomas R. Bodine, Harvey and Julianna Perry, and Caleb A. Smith were present from New England. In the early fall Dr. Frank J. Lepreau, joined by his wife, Miriam, and two children, gave about six weeks service as a surgeon at the Friends Hospital. In January, February and March, Willard and Edith Ware completed an assignment for the American Friends Board of Missions which resulted in a decision by the Board to transfer all land, property, and interest therein controlled by the Mission Board in Kenya to the Trustees of East Africa Yearly Meeting. All these Friends have given and will give generously of their time in telling about this area of Friends work, showing pictures of the work and the beautiful landscape of Kenya. Their interest and their willingness to share it are much appreciated.

While we have become enthusiastic about the work in East Africa, our work in Jamaica and Ramallah has continued unabated and needs our support.

RUTH D. B. WHITE, Chairman

REPORT OF THE SUB-COMMITTEE ON FREEDMEN'S FUNDS

From the George Sturge Fund $300.00 has been given to a graduate student at North Carolina College at Durham to help him finish work for a Master's Degree in Chemistry. $500.00 has been given to a second year student at Meharry Medical College, Nashville, Tennessee.

Income from the Benjamin Knowles Fund is still waiting for a court decision before being available for use.

RUTH D. B. WHITE, Chairman

40. David G. Rhoads, Wilmington Monthly Meeting, Philadelphia Yearly Meeting, was welcomed to our sessions.

41. A letter to the Connecticut Board of Pardons asking clemency for a man under the death sentence was read, approved, and will be signed by the Clerk.

June 21, 1962

Connecticut Board of Pardons
115 Main Street
Bridgeport, Connecticut

Dear friends:

We urge you to commute the death sentence of Benjamin Reid. We believe that human life is sacred and cannot rightly be taken by human authority. This is the historical position of the Society of Friends (Quakers), which we reaffirm as a basic Christian principle.

Mistakes have been and can be made, and obviously cannot be corrected if capital punishment is used. There is a degrading and brutalizing effect on the person who executes a capital sentence, and also on the public. "Thou shalt not kill" applies to governments as well as individuals.

Signed in and on behalf of the New England Yearly Meeting of Friends, held at Providence, Rhode Island, June 21, 1962.

GEORGE I. BLISS, Clerk

42. The report of the Women's Missionary Society was read and approved for inclusion in the Minutes.

REPORT OF THE WOMEN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY

The Women's Missionary Society tries to study about the mission endeavors of Friends in all countries and gives and raises funds to advance some of these efforts. These studies help in directing us in usefulness in meeting some small portion of human need.

While there is more comfort in our country for some millions, for more millions physical and mental suffering is the common lot. We may well question the creaturely activity that separates us from the filled prisons, the causes of the defective, both physical and mental. Do we bear a just burden in the bringing of Peace, in the example and teaching of temperance, and in speaking the gospel of the saving love of God through Christ?

In fund raising we find that we have remembered Ramallah, Kenya, the four funds which support missionaries; American Indians; and areas of racial tension such as Johannesburg, South Africa. Concerns of the women find them working in many areas: Women's Christian Temperance Union; councils of Church Women; UNICEF; collecting clothing, sewing and quilt-making for the American Friends Service Committee; standing in peace vigils, filling petitions, cooperating with various peace organizations, writing letters to legislators.

GERTRUDE LAWRENCE, President
GRACE F. LUDER, Corresponding Secretary

43. George Selleck reported on the work of the Committee to Revise the Discipline. It was realized early that additional members were needed on this committee and the Nominating Committee brought new names forward. Work has moved ahead and it is anticipated that in 1963 a complete revision may be ready for consideration. The Queries and Part II, Practice and Procedure, are ready for our attention.

REPORT OF THE DISCIPLINE REVISION COMMITTEE

Your committee appointed to revise the Discipline has worked hard during the past year. Early in the year we realized that our numbers were too few to accomplish our purpose, and asked the Nominating Committee to add several Friends to our group. These added members have made it possible for us to go forward with the work as outlined. We now present a mimeographed Draft Revision of the Queries and of Part 2 on Organization and Business Procedure. This is presented for your examination and consideration. We have given careful thought to all suggestions for changing our Discipline, and have incorporated those the committee feels are needed. We realize that our present draft may have some rough edges. But such inadequacies will more readily be found, we think, by wider examination and by use. The committee suggests that during the coming year all the meetings in the Yearly Meeting conduct their organizational and business matters according to our new draft revision. Only by such a "trial run" can we properly evaluate the changes proposed.

We have not yet had time to consider Part I of the Discipline or the Historical Introduction. We have received many suggestions of changes needed there, and hope to have a proposed draft for this portion later. The committee will welcome comments and suggestions on both these drafts as they come out. And we hope that a final draft of the whole Discipline will be ready for presentation to the Yearly Meeting in 1963.

When the committee undertook this task two years ago we thought only minor changes would be needed. We first asked Monthly Meetings and individual Friends to tell us about the changes they thought should be made, and received many replies. The largest number felt the Queries were inadequate. Many complained that the Part 2 on Business Procedure was poorly organized and should be better arranged. These criticisms, we came to realize, were major ones, and would require much more than we had thought.

When we began to enquire what other Yearly Meetings are doing we discovered that New York Yearly Meeting is also in the process of revising its Discipline. We were much impressed with the manner in which they had simplified the description of business procedure, and decided to use a similar organization of material for our New England Discipline. In following this pattern we have brought together things which should be together, and segregated things which should be kept apart. For example, I am sure that most of us have discovered that "membership" is discussed in two different places in our present Discipline, and one never knows in which place to look for what one wants. Or again, the information about Ministry and Counsel is scattered in three different places. Our proposed revision brings each of these topics together into a separate chapter.

On the whole, very little has been changed as to substance. A number of sections have been reworded in the interest of clarity, and a number of minor changes have been included which were recommended by the Committee on Reorganization of Committee Structure. The major changes in substance are three, two of which come in the chapter on Membership. **Associate** Membership for children has been renamed **Junior** Membership, which we feel is more descriptive. This change has been considered before and has been widely favored in the Yearly Meeting. In connection with Junior membership we have gone further and made definite suggestions about how a meeting should deal with such members, particularly in leading them to appreciate and accept adult membership. The second change

I mentioned was our decision to drop the classification of **"Affiliate"** member. Very few meetings have used this type of membership. And such persons who may be interested in it may equally well be enrolled as members of the Wider Quaker Fellowship. Even our present Discipline states that they shall not be counted when making up the membership rolls.

In the chapter on Ministry and Counsel we have reinstated the "Overseers." This is not an innovation, but rather the restoration of an old Quaker practice. The pastoral duties, commonly associated with the Overseers, are listed in our draft among the duties of the Meeting on Ministry and Counsel. But large meetings are given permission when it seems appropriate, to appoint a separate committee of Overseers to have in mind the pastoral care of the membership. The Overseers, in any case, and the Monthly Meeting may if it desires include the Overseers in the membership of Ministry and Counsel.

For ease of reading we have done away with the great number of headings and numbers, which many Friends found more confusing than helpful. The new version will therefore have a simpler and a more pleasing appearance.

The committee on Revision suggests that our procedure for adoption of the new Discipline will be expedited, if at this session of the Yearly Meeting we shall adopt the section of our new draft on Revising the Discipline. This means that the new Discipline can be printed next year as a part of our Yearly Meeting Minutes, with the final acceptance coming in 1964.

The paragraph referred to is at follows:

> "Proposals for change of this Discipline may originate in the Monthly Meeting and, if so, they should receive the approval of the Quarterly Meeting and then be transmitted to the Yearly Meeting for final action; or they may originate in the Yearly Meeting itself. In either case, final action will not be taken until the Yearly Meeting sessions of the year following the publication of the proposed changes in the minutes of the Yearly Meeting."

We should add that our committee thinks that Part 3 on the Five Years Meeting Discipline should be omitted from our New England Discipline. The Five Years Meeting has changed its Discipline frequently, and any version we would include now is likely to be outmoded before long.

On behalf of the Committee to Revise the Discipline,

GEORGE A. SELLECK, Chairman

Friends approve of continuing this Committee under its present plan of work.

44. The Nominating Committee sent forward names for members-at-large of the Education Department, China Camp Committee, Christian Education Committee, Moses Brown and Lincoln School Committee, with the special request that Willard H. Ware be allowed to remain on that Committee one more term, Mosher Book and Tract Committee, Student Loan Committee, Vaults and Records Committee, Representative to Friends Council on Education; Outreach Department members-at-large, Meetings and Extension Committee, Missionary Committee, Five Years Meeting Committee, Friends General

Conference Committee, Friends World Committee, Quaker Men; Standing Committees, Correspondence Committee; Special Committees, Discipline Revision Committee. These are approved. It is noted that the Young Friends Committee is appointed by the Christian Education Committee and the Nominating Committee is appointed by Quarterly Meetings.

45. Friends are glad to take this opportunity to send a message of love and encouragement to Canadian Yearly Meeting by our Friends, Norman and Mabel Young, Colin Bell and Esther Rhoads.

Sixth Day

46. A memorial was read for Gertrude F. Smith.

MEMORIAL TO GERTRUDE F. SMITH

The gap in the Cambridge Meeting left by the death of Gertrude Frye Smith on August 29, 1961 is large indeed. We can only try to fill it for ourselves with grateful memories of the many aspects of her long and dedicated service.

Born December 13, 1887 in Boston she joined the Friends Meeting in Roxbury in 1905, four years before her marriage to Chester Smith, a fellow member. With their two children, Caleb and Doris (now both active Friends), they moved subsequently to Newton and Cambridge before settling in Belmont. There they have taken in countless friends, new members of the Meeting, attenders, Young Friends, people in trouble, helping many with warm and continuing friendliness. At their camp in Ossipee, New Hampshire friends of all ages felt a cheering and healing kindness.

In many areas of Meeting life Gertrude Smith has been a true servant and minister. She was one of the founders of the Friends Guild and both in Roxbury and Cambridge and has given skilled guidance to the work sessions of that group. In large part it has been due to her special interest and caring that new garments have gone not only to war refugees but to Indian children in our West and to another group that touched her sympathies, the patients at the Metropolitan State Hospital. The Women's International League for Peace and Freedom has paid tribute to her long, faithful cooperation in their work for peace.

While some know well her loyal help on Ministry and Counsel, on the Committee on Peace and Social Concerns and on the First Day School Committee, still more will remember her regular attendance at Business Meetings. There she was forthright and courageous whether in support of or in opposition to a proposal but when an issue was decided the Meeting could count on her wholehearted support. She was equally active in the business activities of both the Salem Quarterly Meeting and New England Yearly Meeting, ready to bear her share of responsibility for Friends' work in these larger areas.

47. The Clerk gave a brief review of the reorganization of Committees. One question before the Meeting is about attendance at Department Meetings. Should a person other than the Committee Chairman or appointed member be au-

thorized to attend Department meetings? It has been considered that an alternate be named so that the work of the Department can go ahead with adequate representation.

48. The report of the Treasurer, F. Warren Howe, Jr. shows our failure to meet the obligation we assumed at our last session. Warren Howe estimates that if each Monthly Meeting forwarded ten dollars per capita we would raise the amount we had anticipated. His carefully prepared figures show how nearly each Meeting came to meeting this goal.

REPORT OF THE TREASURER NEW ENGLAND YEARLY MEETING

Sixth Month 1st, 1961 through Fifth Month 31st, 1962

Summary of Budget Account

Budget contributions from Meetings	$20,115.03
Total budget adopted Sixth Month 1961	24,450.00
Amount received from Meetings last year	19,462.50
Percentage increase of receipts from Meetings this year over last	3.3%
Total budget expenses (including transfers)	23,199.42
Percentage of budget actually received (including income from invested funds, Women's Missionary Society, Etc.)	92.9%
Total budget receipts	22,715.41

RECEIPTS

Receipts for budget:
Receipts from Meetings

Connecticut Valley	
Guilford	$ 145.00
Hartford	1527.50
Middle Conn. Valley	500.00
Middletown	120.00
Monadnock	10.00
New Haven	480.00
	$2782.50

Dover	
Dover Monthly Meeting	
Dover Part. Mtg.	100.00
Gonic	92.62
Rochester	0.00
Weare	0.00
	$ 192.62

Falmouth	
Durham	1372.92
Falmouth (Oak Street)	863.50
Forest Avenue	210.00
Parsonsfield	0.00
Sandwich	0.00
Windham	91.50
	$2537.92

Northwest	
Burlington	219.00
Hanover	196.00
	$ 415.00

Rhode Island	
North Dartmouth	250.00
Providence	2000.00
Westerly	500.00
	$2750.00

Salem	
Amesbury	167.50
Cambridge	3900.00
Lawrence	600.00
Lynn	320.00
Wellesley	600.00
	$5587.50

Sandwich	
Allen's Neck	$ 360.00
Dartmouth (Smith's Neck)	250.00
New Bedford Monthly Meeting	
Preparative Meeting	455.00
Long Plain	770.00
Mattapoisett	0.00

Sandwich	
East Sandwich	200.00
West Falmouth	72.60
Yarmouth	120.00
Swansea	
Swansea Preparative Mtg.	150.00
Fall River Prep. Mtg.	150.00
Westport	100.00
	$2627.60

Smithfield	
Bolton	280.00
Smithfield	429.55
Worcester	805.00
	$1514.55

Vassalboro	
China	425.00
Maple Grove	0.00
North Fairfield	167.00
Oak Grove	300.00
Vassalboro	607.84
Winthrop	207.50
	$1707.34

TOTAL RECEIVED FROM MEETINGS	$20,115.03

QUARTERLY MEETING PER CAPITA GIVING FOR BUDGET

	Members	**Per Capita**	**Total**
Connecticut Valley	484	6.08	$ 2782.50
Dover	208	.92	192.62
Falmouth	411	6.17	2537.92
Northwest	79	5.25	415.00
Rhode Island	258	10.66	2750.00
Salem	782	7.14	5587.50
Sandwich	471	5.58	2627.60
Smithfield	265	5.71	1514.55
Vassalboro	252	6.77	1707.34
	3210	6.26	$20,115.03

Total Received from Meetings	20,115.03
Income Received from Invested Funds	1,609.83
Received from Women's Missionary Society	695.00
Sale of Yearly Meeting Minutes	19.50
Special Contributions	276.05
	$22,715.41

Miscellaneous receipts:		
Central Advisory Committee		
Income from invested funds	$ 50.24	
Sale of Recorders books	9.25	
		$ 59.49
Meetings and Extension Committee		
Income from invested funds		56.58
General Equalization Fund - contributions		678.00
Mosher Book and Tract Committee		
Income from invested funds		535.45
Printing Discipline		
Receipts from sale of Discipline		38.20
Sarah N. Pope Dixon Trust Committee		
Income received from Provident Trust Co. of Philadelphia		525.00
Student Loan Committee		
Interest on Loans	57.63	
Interest on Deposits	325.53	
Repayment of Loans	440.10	
		823.26

S. B. Kirby Fund - income from invested funds		81.90
H. Camp Fund - income from invested funds		33.38
J. P. & J. A. Boyce Fund - income from invested funds		37.59
B. F. Knowles Fund - income from invested funds		840.16
George Sturge Fund - income from invested funds		911.02
Anna Brown Fund - income from invested funds		251.18
Five Years Meeting - Special Giving - Africa Appeal		752.00
Camp at China, Maine - contributions		321.32
Sale of Mary Hoxie Jones Book		501.25
Sale of Quakerama by Daisy Newman		63.25
Transit Accounts:		
Received gifts for the following purposes:		
Laboratory School	25.00	
Friends General Conference	53.00	
Kenya Hospital Fund	70.00	
Bacon Estate for N. E. Friends Home	5000.00	
Friends Comm. on Nat'l. Legislation (Innerst)	50.00	5198.00
Received for rooms and meals at Yearly Meeting		5910.77
TOTAL MISCELLANEOUS RECEIPTS		$17,617.80

EXPENDITURES

Budget Expenses		**Budget**	**Actually Expended**
For Activities of Five Years Meeting		$ 6000.00	$ 6000.00
Five Years Meeting Expenses		2900.00	2900.00
For Yearly Meeting Activities			
Peace and Social Concerns Committee		450.00	425.09
Christian Education Committee		300.00	362.87
Junior Yearly Meeting		200.00	220.00
Friends Committee on National Legislation		200.00	200.00
Friends World Committee & Fellowship Council		350.00	350.00
Young Friends Committee		250.00	70.00
Central Advisory Committee		200.00	119.25
Missionary Committee		75.00	0.00
Vaults and Records Committee		150.00	150.00
New England Friends Home Committee		1500.00	1500.00
China Camp Committee		100.00	100.00
Travel Expenses for Representatives of Yearly Meeting to A. F. S. C., Friends World Committee and Fellowship Council, F. C. N. L. and Five Years Meeting Boards		300.00	261.47
Representatives to Five Years Meeting (Held in Reserve)		200.00	200.00
Field Secretary			
Salary		3750.00	3750.00
Travel		1800.00	1919.42
Retirement Plan		375.00	350.00
Office Expense			
Salary	$1200.00		
Rent	150.00		
Incidentals	719.12	2300.00	2069.12
Expenses of Yearly Meeting Treasurer		450.00	162.98
Printing & Distribution of Yearly Meeting Minutes		1000.00	824.75
Expenses of Yearly Meeting Sessions (Including entertainment of visiting Friends)			

Printing	133.95		
Yearly Meeting share of Bowdoin College bill (including hospitality to visiting Friends)	380.15		
Miscellaneous	330.00		
Clerk	75.00	1000.00	919.10
Friends Tercentenary Committee		300.00	140.82
Friends General Conference		150.00	150.00
Friends Council on Education		100.00	100.00
Contingencies		50.00	49.00
Total Budget Charges		$24,450.00	$23,293.87
Less Budget Transfers			275.71
			$23,018.16

Miscellaneous Expenses

General Equalization Fund: Authorized payments		$ 954.90
Mosher Book and Tract Committee		
Books for Young Africa	$100.00	
United Society of Friends Women	32.90	
Printing	32.50	
Subscriptions to Friends Publications	70.50	
Books for Meetings	527.20	
New England Friends Home	100.00	
Executive Committee on Indian Affairs	100.00	
Friends Mission - Tennessee	50.00	
Postage and Telephone	26.88	
		1039.98
Sarah N. Pope Dixon Trust Committee to New England Friends Home		525.00
Student Loan Committee - New Loans		394.00
Central Advisory Committee		
To Parsonsfield	75.74	
To New England Friends Home	50.00	
		125.74
Wayside Pulpit Fund - Subscriptions		19.75
Christian Education Committee for Laboratory School		240.00
George Sturge Fund		
Meharry Medical College Scholarship	500.00	
Kilpatrick Scholarship	300.00	
		800.00
J. P. & J. A. Boyce Fund		0.00
S. B. Kirby Fund		256.68
Real Estate Fund: 1961 taxes paid		40.40
Transit Accounts		
Forwarded gifts received as follows:		
F. C. N. L. - Innerst	50.00	
Friends General Conference	50.00	
Friends General Conference Wilson Fund	3.00	
Kenya Hospital Fund	70.00	
Bacon Estate - N. E. Friends Home	5000.00	
Special Africa Appeal	752.00	
China Camp	321.32	
		6246.32

Bowdoin College (Rooms & Meals at Yearly Meeting)		5910.77
Mary Hoxie Jones' Book		904.26
TOTAL MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES		$17,457.80
Balance on hand, Sixth Month 1, 1961	$24,839.13	
Budget receipts	22,715.41	
Miscellaneous receipts	17,617.80	
		65,172.34
Budget Expenses	23,018.16	
Miscellaneous Expenses	17,457.80	
		40,475.96
		$24,696.38
On hand, Fifth Month 31, 1962		
Yearly Meeting Budget Account	1016.06	
Central Advisory Committee	174.39	
Delegates to Five Years Meeting	200.00	
General Equalization Fund	2277.17	
Mosher Book and Tract Committee	410.62	
Student Loan Committee	10,848.96	
Wayside Pulpit Fund	10.25	
S. B. Kirby Fund	264.04	
Meetings and Extension Committee	248.21	
J. P. & J. A. Boyce Fund	110.13	
H. Camp Fund	143.89	
B. F. Knowles Fund	5860.16	
George Sturge Fund	809.24	
Printing Discipline Fund	689.05	
Anna Brown Fund	1652.37	
Real Estate Fund	114.80	
Field Secretary Retirement Fund	220.00	
Income Taxes Withheld	36.80	
Daisy Newman Quakerama	63.25	
		25,149.39
Less Adverse Balance		
Mary Hoxie Jones' Book	403.01	
Petty Cash	50.00	
		453.01
		24,696.38
Industrial National Bank of Providence Checking Account		$11,650.48
Five Prepaid shares Cumberland Savings and Loan Association, Portland, Maine		1,000.00
Savings Account, Roger Williams Savings and Loan Association, Providence, R. I. (Student Loan)		8,373.43
Savings Account, Roger Williams Savings and Loan Association, Providence, R. I. (B. F. Knowles Fund)		3,672.46
TOTAL		$24,696.38

FUNDS HELD BY NEW ENGLAND YEARLY MEETING AS TRUSTEE FOR RHODE ISLAND MONTHLY MEETING OF FRIENDS

Balance Sixth Month 1, 1961		$13,870.43
Receipts:		
Dividends: Newport National Bank	225.00	
Industrial National Bank	462.00	
Savings Bank Interest	448.25	
Sale of Rights: Newport National Bank	18.75	1,154.00
TOTAL RECEIPTS		15,024.43
Expenditures:		
Insurance Premiums	163.60	
Repairs to Portsmouth Parsonage and Meeting House	200.00	
Susan R. Trout from Annie C. Sherman Fund	50.00	413.60
Balance Fifth Month 31, 1962		$14,610.83
The Savings Bank of Newport (7 accounts)	10,567.30	
Rhode Island Hospital Trust Co. (savings account)	274.07	
Industrial National Bank (savings account)	1,815.14	
Industrial National Bank (checking account)	1,954.32	$14,610.83

Securities held:
231 shares Industrial National Bank
75 shares Newport National Bank

F. WARREN HOWE, JR., Treasurer

49. Robert E. Owen presented the report of the Finance Committee. It was approved after careful consideration.

REPORT OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE NEW ENGLAND YEARLY MEETING OF FRIENDS

The recommendations of the Finance Committee are:

1. That the following budget for 1962-63 be adopted:

For activities of the Five Years Meeting	$6000.00
For expense of the Five Years Meeting	3,210.00
For Yearly Meeting activities:	
Peace Committee	300.00
Social Concerns Committee	250.00
Christian Education Committee	300.00
Junior Yearly Meeting	250.00
Young Friends Committee	200.00
Meetings and Extension Committee	300.00
Executive Council	300.00
Missionary Committee	100.00
Vaults and Records Committee	50.00
New England Friends Home Committee	1,500.00
China Camp Committee	100.00
Friends Committee on National Legislation	200.00
Friends World Committee and Fellowship Council	350.00
Travel expenses for Representatives of Yearly Meeting to: Meetings of American Friends Service Committee, Friends World Committee and Fellowship Council, Friends Committee on National Legislation, Five Years Meeting Boards and Friends General Conference Committees.	300.00

Travel to Five Years Meeting (held in reserve)	200.00
Field Secretary:	
Salary	4,050.00
Retirement Fund	375.00
Travel Expense	1,800.00
Yearly Meeting Office expense	2,300.00
Expenses of the Yearly Meeting Treasurer	400.00
Expense of Printing the Yearly Meeting Minutes	850.00
Expenses of the Sessions of the Yearly Meeting	750.00
Friends General Conference	150.00
Frinds Council on Education	100.00
Contingencies	50.00
	$24,685.00

2. That the expense of the Yearly Meeting be contributed to on a voluntary basis. Each Monthly Meeting should include in its budget for this purpose an amount equal to at least $10.00 per member. Each member should feel his responsibility for these expenses and contribute such sums as he is able, to his own Monthly Meeting Treasurer.

3. That the Monthly Meetings be requested to send funds for the budget of the Yearly Meeting to the Yearly Meeting Treasurer monthly, the final payment to be made before Fifth Month 15, 1963.

4. That F. Warren Howe, Jr. be appointed Treasurer of the Yearly Meeting.

5. That Edward A. White and Seth K. Gifford II be authorized to secure the services of a Certified Public Accountant to audit the books of the Treasurer of the Yearly Meeting at the close of the coming year.

6. That of the funds contributed to the Yearly Meeting, the Treasurer be authorized to set aside approximately one third to be sent to the Five Years Meeting for our contribution to it, and the balance used proportionately for the Yearly Meeting expenses and activities. The Treasurer will, as always, use designated funds for the use specified.

7. That the Presiding Clerk of the Yearly Meeting and the Chairman of the Arrangements Committee, acting together, be authorized, in the exercise of their judgment, to approve the payment of charges for the entertainment of visiting Friends coming from a distance to attend sessions of the Yearly Meeting.

8. That the Five Years Meeting Committee, the Equalization Fund Committee, and the China Camp Committee be given permission to appeal directly to the members of the Yearly Meeting for funds, but that all other committees of the Yearly Meeting be requested not to do so without first obtaining permission from the Finance Committee.

ROBERT E. OWEN, Chairman

50. The Meeting appointed F. Warren Howe, Jr. Treasurer for one year or until his successor is appointed.

51. Edward A. White presented the report of the Board of Managers of Investments and Permanent Funds.

INVESTMENTS AND PERMANENT FUNDS COMMITTEE

During the past year eight regular meetings have been held by the Board of Managers of Investments and Permanent Funds with its advisory counsel. The attendance has been good. The books of the Board of Managers as well as the Treasurer's report for the year ended Twelfth Month 31, 1961 have been audited by Christiansen and Company, certified public accountants. Their reports will be submitted with that of the Board of Auditors of the Yearly Meeting and will be available for examination.

AUDITOR'S REPORT

In our opinion based on our examination and subject to the foregoing comments, the Funds Balance Sheet and its related Statement of Receipts and Disbursements present fairly the financial condition of the New England Yearly Meeting of Friends, Board of Managers of Investments and Permanent Funds, at December 31, 1961, and the result of operations for the calendar year then ended.

Respectfully submitted,
Christiansen and Company

52. The Board of Auditors of the Property of the Yearly Meeting presented its report. It was approved.

53. Concern was expressed about the investments of our funds. The managers are sensitive to the feelings of Friends and take these concerns into the work they carry out for us.

54. The report of the New England Friends Home was presented by Finley H. Perry.

REPORT OF THE NEW ENGLAND FRIENDS HOME COMMITTEE

The New England Friends Home on Turkey Hill Lane in Hingham, Massachusetts opened on February 22, 1962. This was the result of concerned efforts on the part of many people over a period of three and a half years after the Yearly Meeting sessions in June 1958 at which time this committee was asked "to investigate ways of providing a new home." Friends throughout New England have been most generous in the encouragement they have given the committee and in gifts of their time and money to make the new home possible.

Apart from the obvious benefits of the beautiful new home which is licensed as a rest home by the Massachusetts Department of Public Health, we believe that this project has brought about some less tangible but no less real benefits to the Yearly Meeting. The sharing of so many Friends in meeting this manifest need for a new home has helped to increase interest in the Yearly Meeting and in the Home. We hope that the enthusiasm and interest will never slacken and that the Yearly Meeting will maintain the high traditions of the Huntington Home and continually search for ways to make the new home a pleasant place in which to live.

The fund raising program together with $40,000 "borrowed" from the Sarah Nichols Pope Dixon fund provided enough money to cover all of the capital expenses in connection with the new building. When the pledges of the fund drive are paid and when the buildings in Amesbury are sold, it is hoped that we will be able to return to the Dixon fund the entire sum borrowed.

The Dixon fund which has been in the hands of a bank in Philadelphia as our agent for investment purposes was transferred last summer with the approval of the Permanent Board to the Board of Managers of Investments which manages the other funds of the Yearly Meeting.

FINLEY H. PERRY, Chairman

NEW ENGLAND FRIENDS HOME TREASURER'S REPORT

First Month 1, 1961 to First Month 1, 1962

Balance on hand, First Month 1, 1961			$8,062.31
Receipts			
Regular Boarders		$ 7,448.78	
Transients		4.50	
Sarah N. Pope Dixon Trust		3,690.94	
Board of Managers of Investments and Permanent Funds:			
Mary S. Wood Fund	$ 18.26		
John Currier Fund	73.06		
Alice Dow Fund	3.65		
J. B. Farnham Fund	91.32		
J. A. & Ida J. Hall Fund	36.52		
John Hanson Fund	138.81		
Lucinda E. Hill Fund	170.71		
C. E. & A. B. Hoag Fund	98.01		
Huntington Home Fund	36.52		
Perez Peck et al Fund	18.27		
A. J. Goddard Fund	52.01		
C. E. & A. B. Hoag Acc't 2 Fund	78.01		
Huntington Home Endowment Fund	104.46		
Thomas Swallow Fund	90.70		
White Add'n Peck Fund	26.01		
Ruth E. Osborne Fund	156.03		
		1,192.35	
Interest and Dividends		15.00	
New England Yearly Meeting of Friends		1,500.00	
Miscellaneous		1,552.08	
TOTAL RECEIPTS			15,403.65
TOTAL			$23,465.96
Expenditures			
Provisions		$ 1,951.33	
Matron and helpers		6,178.50	
Utilities:			
Gas	*$ 128.45		
Electricity	* 380.06		
Telephone	167.16		
Laundry	94.26		
Water	* 205.51		
Oil	1,074.09		
		2,049.53	
House Furnishings and supplies		17.56	
Repairs		40.50	
Insurance		** 916.72	
Miscellaneous		*** 10,569.22	
TOTAL EXPENDITURES			$21,723.36
Balance on hand, First Month 1, 1962			$ 1,742.60

* Includes total of $82.17 for Hingham Home charges.

** Includes total of $433.91 for Hingham Home charges.

*** Includes total of $566.60 for Hingham Home charges, $8,000 transfer to Finley Perry, Chairman of the Committee for New England Friends Home Development program, and $1,500 loaned to same Committee, later returned and shown above under Miscellaneous Receipts.

PAULINE R. AINSWORTH, Treasurer
Audited by Helen V. Parker, 1-27-1962.

55. The report of the Vaults and Records Committee was presented by Robert N. Cool.

REPORT OF THE VAULTS AND RECORDS COMMITTEE

The Committee on Care of Vaults and Records is seeking ways to finance the microfilming of New England monthly meeting records which are not stored in our vault. Progress is reported in cataloguing and indexing much of the material which we have. Increasing use of Quaker records has been made by scholars and for the purpose of preparing exhibits with a Quaker theme at Moses Brown School.

Latest plans for the enlarged vault and Quaker reading room — part of the school's development program announced at Yearly Meeting last year — designate an area beneath the headmaster's office for these new facilities.

A budget sum of $150 again is asked to pay school staff members for extra time spent making the vault records available. Thyra Jane Foster continues to perform valuable volunteer work, under the direction of Mrs. Paxton, the custodian.

ROBERT N. COOL, Chairman

56. The Nominating Committee sent forward additions to the Discipline Revision Committee; names for Representatives to the State Board of United Church Women of Massachusetts, Representatives to the Board of the Massachusetts Council of Churches. These were approved. The Christian Education Committee reports that Harold Myers, Ruth Osborne, F. Warren Howe, Jr. were named as advisors to Young Friends.

57. The report of the Christian Education Committee was presented by Frances Gove.

REPORT OF THE CHRISTIAN EDUCATION COMMITTEE

Junior Yearly Meeting was well attended in 1961. Among guest helpers Benjamin Wegesa from Africa will be a memory to children and adults alike, a real tie to our East Africa Yearly Meeting. Lily Shatara was a guest from Ramallah Girls School. A sum of money was raised to send musical instruments for her work in Ramallah. The American Friends Service Committee group made baby blankets and stuffed toys, and the craft group made bibs for handicapped children. Many of the Junior Yearly Meeting children took part in the drama, "The Business of Our Lives."

In July five people attended the Eastern Laboratory School at Guilford, North Carolina. Jeannette Smith, Virginia Gove, Cynthia Lawrence, Jane Cook and your chairman attended classes to study First Day School structure, administration and better teaching methods. The school served sixty-six students. It returned a good portion of the money advanced by the collaborating yearly meetings. New England is planning to have a similar school in the fall of 1963. Dates and place to be announced soon.

The Christian Education Committee joins the Yearly Meeting in sorrow at the passing of Gertrude Smith. She left her influence in every meeting in New England and is sadly missed. An inspiration to every member of the Christian Education Committee to follow her; she will be long remembered - for the travelling library, the Junior Yearly Meeting "blueprints," and other very important ways. We are placing a permanent memorial in Beacon Hill Friends House in her honor.

FRANCES GOVE, Chairman

58. Marion E. Kelsey reported for the Associated Committee on Indian Affairs.

59. In the worship period we listened to portions of epistles from our Friends in the Germany Yearly Meeting, Indiana Yearly Meeting, and Ohio Yearly Meeting, Barnesville.

60. Julianna Perry reported for the Friends World Committee for Consultation. Their recent meeting in Africa has been reported to Friends and was a remarkable experience. This group also organizes seminars for study particularly at the United Nations and has published helpful materials. Among them the "Round the World Quaker Letters" are useful for very young Friends. The continuing work of this Committee has done much to draw Friends throughout the world into closer fellowship.

61. Theodore Paullin spoke to the report on Peace and Social Concerns. Gordon M. Browne reported on work with prisoners that has been carried out by his Meeting in cooperation with other religious groups.

In bringing our attention to the vigil called "Witness for Peace," Theodore Paullin brought a minute from the Peace and Social Concerns Committee which was considered but laid over to a later session.

REPORT OF THE PEACE AND SOCIAL CONCERNS COMMITTEE

The Committee on Peace and Social Concerns during 1961-62 has operated on the assumption that its major responsibility has been to stimulate action in these fields on the part of monthly meetings and individual Friends, rather than to serve as the executive agent of the Yearly Meeting in expressing the social testimonies of the Society. To carry out this purpose, we felt that it was important for the committee to have a fuller knowledge of the activities of monthly meetings in this area. Reports indicate that there are many different approaches among the meetings, but that there is an impressive amount of activity in these matters both by individuals and by organized action of meetings. It is the hope of the committee that this type of visitation may help to deepen the concern with social problems in the communities visited.

Probably the major "project" of the committee was joint sponsorship of the "Witness for Peace" with the Peace and Social Concerns Committee of Cambridge Meeting, and the New England office of the American Friends Service Committee. About 175 Friends took part in this vigil on Good Friday before the statue of Mary Dyer on the grounds of the state house in Boston. Those who took part felt a renewed sense of dedication to the cause of peace, and there was much interst on the part of the public. One member of the committee also served as an overseer on behalf of the Yearly Meeting at the "Friends Witness for World Order" which was held at the end of April in Washington.

The committee has continued its interest in crime and the treatment of offenders. Friends were commissioned to fill out a lengthy questionnaire on capital punishment for a United Nations study. There has been much activity in the Yearly Meeting in expressing the hope that capital punishment will be abolished, and asking for clemency for individuals who have been condemned to death in New England. There is also a growing interest in prison visitation in several meetings.

This is the last report of the committee under its present name. During the year we have recommended that the new Committee on Peace and the new Committee on Social Concerns each have fifteen members. We hope that all groups included in the new Peace and Social Concerns Department will work closely together in the future, and to this end have planned a week-end retreat for all at Woolman Hill, September 28-30, 1962.

THEODORE PAULLIN, Chairman

62. David Curtis introduced the report for the Friends Committee on National Legislation. Lawrence White from the Washington Office of this Committee traced the action taken in connection with the United Nation Bond Issue to give us some realization of the ways in which this Committee carries on its work. Thyra Jane Foster gave practical suggestions for interviewing congressmen. Winslow Osborne spoke of the need for our financial support of this work.

Seventh Day

63. A memorial to Alice Howland Macomber was read.

MEMORIAL TO ALICE HOWLAND MACOMBER

We record with sorrow the death of our faithful member, Alice Howland Macomber on Eleventh Month 26, 1961 at the age of eighty-seven years. Her life was filled with varied interests - as a school teacher, a traveler, and a lecturer. She was gifted in written expression and served well on the correspondence committee of the Yearly Meeting and as recording clerk for a period. She was also on the Permanent Board.

In New Bedford Monthly Meeting she was a member of Ministry and Counsel as an elder and became an efficient clerk of Ministry and Counsel in Sandwich Quarterly Meeting.

For a number of years she spent the winters in Jacksonville, Florida with her daughter which enabled her to visit Florida meetings. During the rest of the year she was regular in attendance at New Bedford Meeting.

64. A memorial to Helen Walker was read.

MEMORIAL TO HELEN WALKER

It is with the deepest feeling of loss that we express our tribute to the memory of Helen Walker, one of Worcester's oldest members in years of membership. Born in Worcester in 1887 of Methodist parents, she became a convinced Friend and joined the Worcester Meeting about 1907. As is frequently the case with those joining from conviction, she became very active in church affairs. She early made herself a strong influence in Sunday School, where she served as superintendent of the Junior Department and also as librarian in Christian Endeavor, and in a host of social activities. She also had a deep interest and capacity in the field of music.

For the many years during which she retained her physical strength, her activity in behalf of the Meeting and the community was unfailing and a source of inspiration to all with whom she came in contact. Even after the years and illness had necessitated a reduction in actual participation, her interest was unflagging.

65. A letter to the Governor of New Hampshire requesting clemency for two men under sentence of death was presented. The Meeting approves the forwarding of this letter.

66. The Moses Brown School and Lincoln School Committee was introduced by Willard H. Ware. He expressed warm appreciation for the work of the Trustees at both schools. Mary L. Shaffner reported on some of the details of management and enrollment at Lincoln School. Robert Cunningham presented the statement of financial operation of Moses Brown School and spoke about his plans for the coming year. Edwin Krause explained some of the work of the Development Committee which was outlined in last year's report and is now well underway. Dorothy W. Gifford spoke about her appreciation of the academic and religious life of our schools. She feels the need for a vision of things to come as we move forward in human relations as well as material development.

REPORT OF THE MOSES BROWN SCHOOL AND LINCOLN SCHOOL COMMITTEE

The action taken by New England Yearly Meeting at its sessions in 1961 making available to Moses Brown School $300,000 of undesignated funds for a new classroom building set off a series of developments. First, it demonstrated to everyone interested in the School, that Friends had a deep concern for Moses Brown and its development. This evidence of interest, and the willingness to commit funds for improvement of facilities encouraged and reassured members of the Providence community, the alumni, and parents.

The first visible evidence of "dirt flying" was that started by the construction firm of Campanella and Cardi on the creation of a new, full-size football field and track. Much of the work was donated by Mr. Campanella, as a memorial to his wife. It is to be known as the Teresa A. Campanella Memorial Athletic Field, and will be one of the finest facilities of its kind in the area.

As plans were developed for the Classroom building for the

Upper School, faculty members and many qualified people from outside the School were consulted. The plans are now virtually completed and it is expected that a contract will be let this summer with construction to be started some time in August.

The people of Providence, who have responded so generously in work, time, and money in support of Moses Brown School, have earned the sincere gratitude of New England Yearly Meeting.

All of these plans and activities at Moses Brown may lead to an impression that Lincoln School is being neglected. Attendance at Board of Trustees meetings would reassure anyone. Faculty studies of facilities and their utilization have been carried on through the year. Later outside counsel was secured to survey present facilities. More study will be required to determine the most desirable size of student body to maintain quality of teaching and best utilization of faculty.

It is the desire of the School Committee that Friends take the opportunity while in Providence for Yearly Meeting sessions to visit both schools and become better acquainted with what they are and what they accomplish.

WILLARD H. WARE, Clerk

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR MOSES BROWN SCHOOL

Balance Sheet — Sixth Month 30, 1961

ASSETS

Current		
Cash	$ 8,856.33	
Accounts Receivable (less reserve for Doubtful Accounts)	25,284.46	
Inventories	6,157.42	
Loan Receivable	1,000.00	$ 41,298.21
Fixed Assets		
Real Estate and Buildings	455,493.97	
Furnishings and Equipment	130,938.48	
Lloyd Avenue Dwelling	20,800.21	
Olney Street Dwelling	31,411.93	638,644.59
Prepaid Expense and Advances		
Expense	5,238.96	
Sprinkler Costs	27,152.29	
Survey and Expenses	5,201.52	
Insurance	6,881.84	44,474.61
		$724,417.41

LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL

Accounts Payable		
Trade Creditors	$ 11,560.76	
Employees Withholding Tax, F. I. C. A. and T. I. A. A.	5,731.57	
Employees' Blue Cross	939.70	
Accrued Payroll Tax & T. I. A. A.	2,079.49	
Loan Payable	20,000.00	$ 40,311.52

Other		
Special Funds	7,414.57	
Due Student Activities (Net)	- 687.83	
Notes Payable	46,500.00	53,226.74
Prepaid Registration Fees		23,600.00
Reserve-Sabbatical Leave and Salary Increases		16,371.55
Investment and Surplus		
Balance 7 mo. 1, 1960	602,192.14	
Add: from Annual Giving account of Notes Payable	5,000.00	
	607,192.14	
Less: decrease from Statement of Inc. and Exp.	16,284.54	590,907.60
		$724,417.41

Statement of Income and Expenditures
7 mo. 1, 1960 — 6 mo. 30, 1961

INCOME	
Resident and Day Students (Net)	$420,821.31
Lunches	29,768.00
Midmorning Lunches	3,409.30
Laundry and Infirmary	2,678.51
Annual Giving	28,408.26
Fund Income	
Scholarships	4,864.62
General	14,897.62
Books, Stationery, etc.	39,086.75
Miscellaneous	
Registration Fees Retained	300.00
Interest-Treasury Bills	857.99
Application Fees	2,220.00
Tuition Refund Plan	3,017.44
Miscellaneous	400.94
	550,730.74
EXPENDITURES	
Administration	85,614.22
Instruction	263.825.98
Kitchen and Dining Room	85,574.32
Maintenance and Housekeeping	96,647.38
Incidental Charges to Students	35,353.38
	567,015.28
Loss For The Year	$ 16,284.54

The attached Balance Sheet as of June 30, 1961 and the related Statement of Income and Expenditures have been prepared from the books and records as maintained for Moses Brown School and are in exact agreement therewith. We did not make a detailed audit of the records, but limited our examination to a general review of cash transactions and accounting methods in use.

CHRISTIANSEN AND COMPANY

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR LINCOLN SCHOOL

Balance Sheet — Sixth Month 30, 1961

ASSETS

Current Assets		
Cash	$ 31,676.92	
Savings Accounts	8,226.72	
Accounts Receivable	9,196.79	
Total Current Assets		$ 49,100.43
Fixed Assets		
Gymnasium	106,223.01	
Hockey Field	54,502.30	
Mary Nichols Playhouse	34,245.61	
Main Building	265,089.02	
Dwight House	33,693.09	
New Lower School	229,900.85	
New Lower School Furniture	8,266.15	
New Science Wing	18,537.05	
New Library	11,270.12	
Furniture & Equipment	38,523.46	
Arnold House	14,504.00	
Pension Fund (Original)	51,774.64	
Pension Fund (TIAA)	52,771.10	
Total Fixed Assets		919,300.40
Total Assets		$968,400.83

LIABILITIES & CAPITAL

Current Liabilities		
Office Cash for Blue Cross	$ 592.00	
Accounts Payable	961.47	
Notes Payable	9,700.00	
Res. for Repairs — Arnold House	286.96	
Withholding Taxes	516.80	
Social Security Taxes	143.67	
Gifts to School	193.86	
Books for Library — A. G.	13.03	
Prizes	163.07	
Lecture & Entertainment Fund	76.91	
Trustees' Library Committee Fund	89.52	
Chas. H. Smith Library Fund	122.52	$ 12,859.81
Reserves		
Res. For Possible Bad Debts	514.99	
Res. for Water Heater	3,500.00	
Res. for Building Renovation — Committed	5,750.00	
Res. for Building Renovation — Prospective	5,823.15	15,588.14
Capital		
Investment & Surplus-Balance June 30, 1960	910,806.29	
Gain from Operations	10,428.00	
Capital Funds from Annual Giving	12,809.85	
Interest on Savings Accounts	185.79	
Bequest — Will of Lucy Melcher	2,764.68	
Transferred from Development Fund	1,100.00	
Interest and Adjustment on Pension Fund	5,708.27	
Withdrawal from Pension Fund	(-3,850.00)	939,952.88
Total Liabilities & Capital		$968,400.83

LINCOLN SCHOOL STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENDITURES

July 1, 1960 to June 30, 1961

Total Income:		$412,785.77
Expenditures:		
Administration	66,279.96	
Upper School	136,045.44	
Lower School	69,696.43	
Dormitory	14,362.48	
Dining Room	48,613.71	
Grounds	3,479.85	
Heat & Light	15,782.73	
Incidental Charges — Books etc.	15,628.50	
Development Office	7,045.52	
Study Hall Renovations	10,350.00	
Reserves for Improvements	15,073.15	
Total Expenditures		402,357.77
OPERATING GAIN June 30, 1961		10,428.00
		$412,785.77

I certify that I have examined the attached Balance Sheet, as of June 30, 1961, and above Statement of Income and Expenditures for the period from July 1, 1960 to June 30, 1961, and that I have compared the Assets and Liabilities balances and Income and Expenditures with the ledger accounts and have found them to be in exact agreement.

CARL W. CHRISTIANSEN, Certified Public Accountant
September 7, 1961

67. Florence Selleck reported on the opening and first year of operation of the Cambridge Friends School. There have been Kindergarten and the first four grades, with about sixty pupils. It is hoped that another grade will be added this year.

68. The Correspondence Committee brought forward a draft of our letter to Friends Everywhere. It is approved.

GENERAL EPISTLE OF NEW ENGLAND YEARLY MEETING

From New England Yearly Meeting of Friends, gathered from Sixth Month 19th through 24th, 1962 at Pembroke College, Providence, Rhode Island, in its three hundred second sessions,

To Friends everywhere — Greetings:

A sense of urgent need has run through our meetings like an electric impulse, discomfiting us, challenging us, and stimulating us. We have sought for new ways to open to us. We have prayed for inspiration in the Light. Almost prophetic of our need was the large number of deeply valued Friends from whom we were separated by death during the past year and whose memorials we heard with profound gratitude for their lives. Their strength and vision had long supported us, but we must make our way without them, hoping that we may be examples for the children meeting with us, as these Friends have been for us.

Our opening speaker challenged us by saying, "our faith, which is now two thousand years old, must break out into living reality" and must bring a "radical break-through in human relations." He queried us whether we had been "— accommodating, temporizing watering down, acquiescing subtly to the idea that Jesus must be converted to this world."

Reports in the fields of missions, of education, of relief programs, and of peace work all reiterated that old answers will not solve new problems and that head-long, radical change is a constant in our era. Our longing to revitalize established meetings and to stimulate new ones requires us to give thoughtful attention to a caution arising from our worship and Bible study — that sentimental attachment to the past leads to rigid idolatory, but loving understanding of the past adapts and utilizes ancient truths so that they are relevant even to our whirling present.

Yet, despite the breathless rush of our world toward new, unexplored horizons and previously unimagined experiences, despite our sense of our own inadequacy to meet the requirements of our times, we have not felt ourselves swept along, uncontrollably, like chips in a torrent. Dimly and hesitantly, perhaps, but nonetheless surely we have begun to see that the whirlwind of our times offers us unparalleled opportunities to serve in the evolution of Christ's Kingdom on earth. We do not doubt that, if we can cast aside the encumbrances of anxiety, of will, and of habit, God's Will for us will become clear for we know through experience the truth of that crucial promise — "For, lo, I am with you, alway, even unto the end of the world." Matthew 28:20.

Signed in and on behalf of New England Yearly Meeting of Friends,

GEORGE I. BLISS, Clerk MIRIAM E. JONES, Recording Clerk

69. Gordon M. Browne, Jr. reported on the Friends Witness for World Order held in Washington, D. C. in the spring of 1962.

70. Herbert S. Huffman introduced the report of the American Friends Service Committee. The relief program in Algeria has claimed our attention as a refugee program, now we have before us the resettlement of these people. The New England Regional Community Relations Committee has served as a coordinating body to help existing and new Fair Housing Committees. Springfield, Massachusetts has taken part in resettlement of high school students from Prince Edward County in Virginia. Youth Services are a vital part of the various programs under the care of the Service Committee and train young people for responsible positions in their adult life. The program entitled "Turn Toward Peace" is an attempt to develop active peace programs in which people can participate in a vital role.

71. The Yearly Meeting wishes to express appreciation for the work with the American Friends Service Committee of Winnifred Barrett who is retiring after nineteen years of dedicated service with programs for young people, of Robert Lyon who goes to Geneva for a two year leave of absence and to Herbert S. Huffman who will become Executive Secretary of the Peace and Social Concerns Board of the Five Years Meeting. Their work has been of great value to Friends in New England.

72. The Arrangements Committee recommends that New England Yearly Meeting 1963 sessions be held again on the Pembroke College campus, Sixth Month 18 to Sixth Month 23. The matter of location of Young Friends housing and meetings will be left with the new Arrangements Committee. It is approved.

73. The Discipline Revision Committee encourages the Yearly Meeting to study and use the sections of the proposed Discipline which are ready as a trial in preparation for adoption in the coming years.

74. The paragraph on action for revision of the Discipline is referred to the Permanent Board.

REVISION OF DISCIPLINE

Proposals for change of this Discipline may originate in the Monthly Meeting and, if so, they should receive the approval of the Quarterly Meeting and then be transmitted to the Yearly Meeting for final action; or they may originate in the Yearly Meeting sessions of the year following the publication of the proposed changes in the minutes of the Yearly Meeting.

75. The minute from the Peace and Social Concerns Committee was reconsidered (see Minute 61). The Yearly Meeting approves sponsorship of a vigil similar to the 1962 Peace Vigil held under the auspices of the Peace and Social Concerns Committee and under a similar discipline. If arrangements for such a vigil are completed, plans will be submitted to the Executive Council for approval.

76. Warm appreciation was expressed to all Rhode Island Friends who have been so active in welcoming us to Providence.

77. It is requested that letters of appreciation be forwarded to Brown University and Moses Brown School. This will be done.

78. A memorial for Albert N. Smith was read.

MEMORIAL FOR ALBERT N. SMITH

Albert N. Smith, minister of North Fairfield, Maine Friends Meeting died in Waterville, Maine, Fifth Month 1961. He and his wife, Mary, had been the ministers for the North Fairfield Meeting most of the time since 1917 until Mary died in 1947. In 1948 he became the regular minister, driving a distance of about twenty miles when the weather was favorable up to three Sundays before his death at ninety-seven years and nine months. Even to the last he played the autoharp or organ, sang solos in a clear strong voice or led the congregation. He wished he had more education but rejoiced in James 1:5,6: "If any of you lack wisdom let him ask of God, that giveth to all men liberally, and upbraideth not, and it shall be given to him. But let him ask in faith not wavering." He never grew "old." People who heard him marveled at the content and delivery of his messages. He truly sat at the feet of the Great Teacher.

79. Sally Towle read the minutes of the Junior Yearly Meeting. Seventy-three boys and girls attended Junior Yearly Meeting and forty adults helped in some way.

80. Gerald Bliss, Clerk of Junior Yearly Meeting, read their epistle. There followed a program showing many of the activities of this group.

JUNIOR YEARLY MEETING EPISTLE

To Junior Friends Everywhere:

This year the New England Yearly Meeting of Friends takes place from the nineteenth to the twenty-fourth of June. It is being held in Rhode Island, with the Junior and adult meetings taking place at Pembroke College while Young Friends are meeting at Moses Brown School.

This year our theme is brotherhood and our responsibilities toward other people. We have been learning about situations in Kenya and other places in Africa. Since we have several people in our Yearly Meeting who have visited in Africa, they are informing us of many new and interesting facts about Africa and its people. One night we had a talk on Algeria, with films.

We learned about the lives of several early Quakers, including Eli and Sybil Jones and Lucretia Mott. Our Primary Class is making an African village, and the Juniors are studying some proverbs. The Junior High group is writing a newspaper.

We send our greetings to everyone.

Epistle Committee:

ELISABETH FRENSIC	GERALD BLISS, Clerk
KENNETH DOUGLAS	SALLY TOWLE, Recording Clerk

81. Robinson Lilienthal, Clerk of the Young Friends, introduced Lee Douglas who read their report.

YOUNG FRIENDS EPISTLE

Dear Young Friends Everywhere,

Forty-five Young Friends of New England Yearly Meeting met in mid-June this year at Moses Brown School in Providence, Rhode

Island. We ate with the adults and juniors of the Yearly Meeting who were staying at Pembroke College, a few blocks away. We also attended some of the adult meetings including a Bible half-hour led by Moses Bailey, a Friend from Hartford, Connecticut, and a leading Bible authority.

Our main theme of the five-day conference was, "What are our beliefs concerning God, Christianity, and Quakerism?" We divided into two groups for our discussions; one led by John Ruth and the other by Paul Lacey. Many of us were new to the Young Friends and some rather hesitant to contribute their ideas but as we became more acquainted with each other, more were willing to join in the discussions.

Lawrence White, a member of the Friends Committee on National Legislation, along with our two leaders and a Young Friend, formed a panel on Communism.

Dr. Frank Lepreau gave us an illustrated talk on his trips to Haiti and Kenya, Africa where he served as a mission doctor. Esther Rhoads, a member of Philadelphia Yearly Meeting and of the American Friends Service Committee, showed slides and talked briefly on Algeria.

Besides our discussions we also had square dancing, swimming, softball, and trips to places of historical interest around New Bedford and Providence.

We all seemed to enjoy both the meetings and the recreation and are looking forward to next year's Yearly Meeting.

Sincerely,

Epistle Committee:
MARTHA BURGESS
SUSAN KELLAM
NINA LEBERGE

ROBINSON LILIENTHAL, Clerk
NINA LEBERGE, Recording Clerk

As their part of the program, a small group of Young Friends with their leader, Paul Lacey, held a panel discussion in which they explored and expressed their feeling about the Inner Light and their thoughts of God.

82. Word of appreciation for the past work of Lelia Taylor was expressed and we are glad to learn of her recovery.

83. Loving greetings from this Meeting are extended to Phebe F. Perry who could not be here this year.

First Day

84. Grant us, O God, the illumination of Thy Spirit as we conclude these 1962 sessions of the New England Yearly Meeting of Friends.

The sessions now conclude purposing with Divine assistance to work together during the year and to meet at the appointed time and place in 1963.

GEORGE I. BLISS, Clerk
MIRIAM E. JONES, Recording Clerk

We hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the minutes as approved from time to time in the foregoing schedule of sessions, to the best of our knowledge and belief.

George I Bliss, Clerk
Miriam E Jones, Recording Clerk

YEARLY MEETING CALENDAR OF DAILY EVENTS

June 19 — 24, 1962

Tuesday, June 19

2:00 - 3:30
Yearly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel, Alumnae Hall Auditorium. Keith Smiley, Jr., "The Functions of Ministry and Counsel."
3:45 P.M.
Permanent Board Meeting, Alumnae Hall.
7:00 P.M.
Step Singing, Alumnae Hall Steps and Terrace.
7:30 P.M.
Opening Minute. Following a Meeting for Worship, Colin Bell will speak on "The Spiritual Basis of Our Social Concern."

Wednesday, June 20

9:00 - 11:00 A.M.
Call to Worship and Business. Business Meeting: Roll Call of Representatives, Greetings from Junior Yearly Meeting, Minutes of Visiting Friends: Minutes of Permanent Board, Report of the Yearly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel, Consideration of the State of Society, Statistics.
11:00 - 11:40 A.M.
Meeting of Representatives, Alumnae Hall Auditorium, near platform.
11:45 - 12:15
Bible Half Hour, Moses Bailey, "Ram Allah's Hill: Alone with the World."
1:30 - 4:00 P.M.
Worship and Business: Concerns relative to the Spiritual Condition Reports; Concerns from Quarterly Meetings. Reports: Friends General Conference, Central Advisory Committee, Field Secretary, Meetings and Extension Committee.
4:15 - 5:15 P.M.
Tea at Providence Friends Meeting House. Providence Monthly Meeting — Host.
7:00 P.M.
Step Singing, Alumnae Hall Steps and Terrace.
7:30 P.M.
Worship and Business: Reports, Beacon Hill Friends House, Woolman Hill, Oak Grove School, The Meeting School.

Thursday, June 21

9:00 A.M.
Call to Worship and Business. Business Meeting: Report from Five Years Meeting. Reports; China Camp Committee, Quaker Men, Mosher Book and Tract Committee, Student Loan Committee, Friends Council on Education.
11:45 - 12:15
Bible Half Hour, Moses Bailey, "The Ideal Hill, Alone With the Highest."
1:30 - 3:15
Women's Missionary Society, Alumnae Hall Auditorium.
3:30 - 5:00 P.M.
Worship and Business: Reports; Missionary Committee, Women's Missionary Society, Committee to Revise the Discipline.

5:00 P.M.
Organization of Committees.
7:00 P.M.
Step Singing, Alumnae Hall Steps and Terrace.
7:30 P.M.
Public Meeting with address by Esther Rhoads, "Friends Work With Refugees in North Africa."

Friday, June 22

9:00 A.M.
Call to Worship and Business. Business Meeting: Reports; Yearly Meeting Treasurer, Finance Committee, Investments and Permanent Funds Committee, Auditors of the Permanent Funds, New England Friends Home Committee, Vaults and Records Committee, Christian Education Committee.
11:45 - 12:15
Bible Half Hour, Moses Bailey, "Down to Earth and a Job."
1:30 - 3:45 P.M.
Organization of new Departments.
4:00 - 5:30 P.M.
Worship and Business: Reports; Friends World Committee and Fellowship Council, Peace and Social Concerns Committees, Friends Committee on National Legislation.
7:00 P. M.
Step Singing, Alumnae Hall Steps and Terrace.
7:30 P.M.
Meeting for Worship.

Saturday, June 23

9:00 A.M.
Call to Worship and Business, Alumnae Hall Auditorium.
Business Meeting: Reports from Moses Brown School and Lincoln School Committee. Reports; Correspondence Committee, Quaker Peace Witness.
11:45 - 12:15
Bible Half Hour, Moses Bailey. "Is the Day of the Lord Postponed Again? This is the Day of the Lord!"
1:00 - 3:15 P.M.
Tour of Lincoln School and Moses Brown School campuses.
3:30 - 5:30 P.M.
Worship and Business: Report of the American Friends Service Committee. Plans for Yearly Meeting 1963. Other business.
7:00 P.M.
Step Singing, Alumnae Hall Steps and Terrace.
7:30 P.M.
Worship and Business: Reports and program from Junior Yearly Meeting and Young Friends.

Sunday, June 24

9:30 - 10:15 A.M.
Discussion on issues raised by Bible Half Hours, Alumnae Hall.
9:30 - 10:15 A.M.
Bible School for Children under care of Christian Education Committee, Champlin Hall.
10:30 A.M.
Meeting for Worship. Milton Hadley, visiting minister. Concluding Minute. Alumnae Hall Auditorium.
2:00 P.M.
Permanent Board Meeting. Alumnae Hall.

Tabulated Statement of Membership Changes in New England Yearly Meeting for the Year Ending 12-31-1961

		Gains						Losses																	
Monthly & Quarterly Meetings	Membership 1960	Omissions last report	Birth	Request	Certificates from Friends Meeting	Letters from other Denominations	Total additions	Included by error last report	Death	Resignation	Discontinuance	Certif. to other Friends Meetings	Letters to other Denominations	Total Loss	Number members this year 12-31-61	Net Gain	Net Loss	Number Males	Number Females	Number under 21 Years	Number Associate Members	Transferred to Active Members	Resident Members	Non-Resident Members	Resident Adults	Average Attendance
Guilford	26	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	28	2	0	11	17	12	0	0	20	8	10	14
Hartford	224	1	4	19	10	1	35	5	1	1	2	4	0	13	246	22	0	112	134	106	105	0	219	27	118	65
Mid. Conn. Va.	114	0	2	0	1	0	3	0	0	0	0	7	0	7	110	0	4	53	57	37	41	0	72	38	47	58
Middletown	19	0	0	4	1	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	24	5	0	17	7	10	10	0	20	4	12	25
Monadnock	25	0	0	2	2	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	29	4	0	15	14	18	12	0	23	6	11	25
New Haven	48	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	1	3	47	0	1	17	30	21	19	0	32	15	18	30
Conn. Valley Q.M.	456	1	6	27	16	1	51	5	1	1	2	13	1	23	484	28	0	225	259	198	187	0	386	98	216	217
Dover	131	0	1	2	1	0	4	2	4	0	0	0	4	10	135	0	6	60	65	18	18	0	73	52	50	77
Weare	84	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	83	0	1	43	40	24	30	0	47	36	39	25
Dover Q. M.	215	0	1	2	1	0	4	2	4	0	0	0	5	11	208	0	7	103	105	42	48	0	120	88	79	102
Durham	145	4	1	10	2	1	18	0	5	3	0	5	0	13	150	5	0	63	87	52	34	0	108	42	70	63
Falmouth	124	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	122	0	2	44	78	16	19	0	77	45	65	45
Forest Ave.	45	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	44	0	1	14	30	10	9	0	29	15	22	11
Parsonsfield	48	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	47	0	1	28	19	16	30	0	26	21	12	0
Sandwich	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	19	0	0	7	12	1	6	0	8	11	8	8
Windham	30	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	29	0	1	6	23	3	0	0	28	1	25	13
Falmouth Q. M.	411	4	1	10	2	1	18	0	6	4	0	8	0	18	411	0	0	162	249	98	98	0	276	135	202	140

Burlington	28	1	0	3	6	0	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	38	10	0	21	17	20	20	0	31	7	10	37
Hanover	48	0	1	3	0	0	4	6	0	0	0	5	0	11	41	0	7	17	24	14	14	0	33	8	19	25
Northwest Q. M.	76	1	1	6	6	0	14	6	0	0	0	5	0	11	79	3	0	38	41	34	34	0	64	15	29	62
N. Dartmouth	26	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	26	0	0	8	18	3	3	0	11	15	11	7
Providence	186	0	0	2	5	0	7	0	1	0	0	6	2	9	184	0	2	89	95	46	54	0	129	55	94	77
Westerly	48	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	48	0	0	18	30	5	5	0	24	24	19	15
Rhode Island Q.M.	260	0	0	3	5	0	8	0	2	0	0	6	2	10	258	0	2	115	143	54	62	0	164	94	124	99
Amesbury	22	0	0	0	1	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	3	20	0	2	4	16	0	3	0	16	4	16	10
Cambridge	521	0	5	17	10	2	34	0	3	4	2	5	0	14	541	20	0	240	301	166	169	3	323	218	213	325
Lawrence	78	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	80	2	0	30	50	15	13	0	39	41	41	41
Lynn	61	0	0	5	0	0	5	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	65	4	0	23	42	6	5	2	57	8	59	26
Wellesley	73	0	0	4	0	0	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	76	3	0	35	41	37	34	1	74	2	37	60
Salem Q. M.	755	0	5	28	11	2	46	3	5	4	2	5	0	19	782	27	0	332	450	224	224	6	509	273	366	462
Allen's Neck	83	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	3	5	79	0	4	29	50	8	9	0	62	17	54	35
Dartmouth	50	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	49	0	1	17	32	5	6	0	36	13	32	25
New Bedford	105	2	0	0	0	0	2	8	2	1	0	0	0	11	96	0	9	39	57	5	8	0	51	45	35	35
Sandwich	51	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	49	0	2	20	29	8	13	0	26	23	17	53
Swansea	98	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	4	94	0	4	46	48	27	30	0	55	39	34	28
Westport	109	1	0	4	0	0	5	0	2	0	0	1	7	10	104	0	5	40	64	26	27	4	83	21	60	38
Sandwich Q. M.	496	3	0	5	0	0	8	9	11	1	0	1	11	33	471	0	25	191	280	79	88	4	313	158	232	214
Bolton	31	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	3	28	0	3	10	18	3	0	0	17	11	17	7
Smithfield	92	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	90	0	2	35	55	10	9	0	52	38	45	35
Worcester	147	0	1	7	0	0	8	0	3	0	0	5	0	8	147	0	0	68	79	34	35	0	109	38	79	40
Smithfield Q. M.	270	0	1	7	0	0	8	0	5	0	3	5	0	13	265	0	5	113	152	47	44	0	178	87	141	82
China	48	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	2	46	0	2	15	31	6	7	0	22	24	13	40
Maple Grove	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	2	0	0
N. Fairfield	20	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	20	0	0	7	13	0	0	0	10	10	10	25
Oak Grove	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	4	0	1	1	3	0	0	0	2	2	2	150
Vassalboro	80	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	1	1	0	0	0	2	80	0	0	41	39	33	26	0	49	31	28	25
Winthrop	131	1	0	11	0	0	12	0	7	0	36	0	0	43	100	0	31	37	63	20	3	1	91	9	71	40
Vassalboro Q. M.	286	1	2	13	0	0	16	0	11	2	36	1	0	50	252	0	34	101	151	62	36	1	176	76	124	280
Grand Total	3225	10	17	101	41	4	173	25	45	12	43	44	19	188	3210	0	15	1380	1830	838	821	11	2186	1024	1513	1658

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Ella H. Smart	Ernest H. Weed	Maud B. Smith

Finance Committee (Appointed by Quarterly Meetings)

Chairman: ROBERT E. OWEN

	For One Year	For Two Years
Connecticut Valley:	Elizabeth Musgrave	Henry Baechler
Dover:	David Curtis	Henry T. Osborne
Falmouth:	Mabel F. Russell	Stanley L. Aldrich
Northwest:	Alan Walker	Marianne Small
Rhode Island:	Thomas Perry	John R. Kellam
Salem:	Finley H. Perry	Richard S. Gove
Sandwich:	Harry Allen	Ernest H. Weed
Smithfield:	Clayton T. Drown	Kenneth Strobel
Vassalboro:	Robert E. Owen	Hazel C. Foster

Five Years Meeting Committee

Friends Central Offices, 101 Quaker Hill Dr., Richmond, Ind.

Chairman: CALEB A. SMITH

(Composed of representatives from New England appointed to Boards of the Five Years Meeting and representatives appointed to the Five Years Meeting.)

Appointments to Boards:

Board on Christian Education: Frances T. Gove
Board on Christian Education: Helen L. Bliss
Board on Education: Dorothy W. Gifford
American Friends Board of Missions: Mabel G. Bailey
American Friends Board of Missions: Willard H. Ware
Board on Peace and Social Concerns: Elizabeth L. Jones
Board on Evangelism and Church Extension: Moses Bailey
Publication Board: Robert N. Cool
Board on Stewardship and Finance: Ernest H. Weed
Board on Training for Christian Vocations: Herbert S. Huffman
Executive Council: Thomas R. Bodine and Willard H. Ware

Representatives to the Five Years Meeting, July 19-25, 1963:

Thomas R. Bodine
Gordon M. Browne
Margaret A. Cates
Robert N. Cool
Seth Gifford II
Clarabel H. Marstaller
Ruth F. Osborne
J. Franklin Pineo

Alternates:
Mabel G. Bailey
Elizabeth F. Ballard
Thomas Bassett
Ernest H. Weed
Charles W. Wood

Friends General Conference Committee

1515 Cherry St., Philadelphia 2, Pa.

For One Year	For Three Years
Grace P. Atkins	Margaret A. Cates
George I. Bliss	J. Franklin Pineo
Edward A. Manice	John A. Sullivan

Ex Officio: The Clerk of the Yearly Meeting and the Clerk of the Permanent Board.

Investments and Permanent Funds Committee

Chairman: EDWARD A. WHITE

For Five Years:	Proctor W. Houghton	Thomas Perry
For Four Years:	Clayton T. Drown	Edward A. White
For Three Years:	Philip Cornell	George Halford
For Two Years:	L. Ralston Thomas	Rudman Ham
For One Year:	Willard H. Ware	Henry H. Perry

Meetings and Extension Committee

Chairman: HAROLD W. MYERS Secretary: JANE E. COOK

For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
Jane E. Cook	David L. Curtis	Elizabeth F. Ballard
Philip H. Cornell	Elizabeth L. Jones	Russell D. Brooks
Ruth E. Hoge	Harold W. Myers	Herbert Kimball

Meetings for Worship at Yearly Meeting

(Appointed by Yearly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel.)

Dorothy Averill	Peter Jonitis	Jeannette Smith

Missionary Committee

Chairman: RUTH D. B. WHITE Vice-Chairman: MELITA B. FISHER Secretary: RUTH H. MELLOR

For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
Moses Bailey	Hattie O. Cox	Mabel G. Bailey
Elizabeth F. Ballard	Alice C. Gifford	Bernice C. S. Douglas
Annie S. Dernier	Edna C. Haviland	* Melita B. Fisher
Ruth C. Graham	* Amy S. Hayden	Gladys M. Gifford
Letitia Jones	#Marion E. Kelsey	Frank J. Lepreau, Jr.
#Gertrude Lawrence	Mildred S. Richardson	Miriam B. Lepreau
Katherine Palmer	Ella H. Smart	Ruth H. Mellor
Willard H. Ware	* Ruth D. B. White	Hermann Patt
#Indian Sub-Committee	* Freedmen's Fund Sub-Committee	

Moses Brown School and Lincoln School Committee

Clerk: WILLARD H. WARE
Assistant Clerk: SETH K. GIFFORD II
Recording Clerk: VIRGINIA TOWNSEND

	For One Year	
Russell S. Douglas	Thomas Perry, Jr.	Kenneth B. Webb
Seth K. Gifford II	Virginia Townsend	
	For Two Years	
Louisa R. Alger	Margaret A. Cates	Florence M. Selleck
Winnifred A. Barrett	Katherine Locke	Edward A. White
	For Three Years	
Moses Bailey	Samuel B. Burgess	David Holden
Thomas Bassett	Melita B. Fisher	Ernest T. Stabler
	For Four Years	
Mary S. Barrett	Rudman J. Ham	Leota S. Wadleigh
Gordon M. Browne	Edward A. Manice	
	For Five Years	
C. Russell de Burlo, Jr.	Frank J. Lepreau, Jr.	Ralph M. Williams
F. Warren Howe, Jr.	Caleb A. Smith	

Mosher Book and Tract Committee

Chairman: DOROTHY J. AVERILL
Secretary: THYRA JANE FOSTER
Executive Committee: The Chairman, Secretary, and Florence Selleck

For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
Myrtle Austin	Kathryn R. Forbes	Mabel G. Bailey
Dorothy J. Averill	Christopher L. Knowlton	Ernest H. Weed
Thyra Jane Foster	Florence M. Selleck	Edna F. Wood
Edith C. Ware		

New England Friends Home Committee

Chairman: FINLEY H. PERRY
Secretary: EDITH C. WARE

For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
Isobel V. Duguid	Thomas R. Bodine	Donnell W. Boardman
Ambrose Meyers	Fritz G. Renken	Ann M. Glass
Finley H. Perry	Edith C. Ware	Henry W. Stokes
Ruth D. B. White	Louisa White	Louise Wood

Nominating Committee (Appointed by the Quarterly Meetings)

Chairman: EDITH C. WARE
Assistant Chairman: FRANKLIN PINEO

	For One Year	For Two Years
Connecticut Valley:	Marion Jessell	Elizabeth Musgrave
Dover:		Mildred Richardson
Falmouth:	Hattie O. Cox	Marian Cartland
Northwest:	Elizabeth Ballard	Rebecca Williams
Rhode Island:	Amy Hayden	Jeannette Smith
Salem:	Jane C. Burgess	J. Franklin Pineo
Sandwich:	Karl Erickson	Margaret Douglas
Smithfield:	Edith C. Ware	Melita B. Fisher
Vassalboro:	Margaret Cates	Eleanor Wilson

Peace Committee

Chairman: THEODORE PAULLIN

For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
Benjamin H. Cates	Harold J. Chance	Karl H. Erickson
Marion M. Jessell	Ralph E. Cook	Gwendolyn H. Halewood
Cornelius Kruse	Elizabeth L. Jones	
Caroline A. Price	Marjorie Laufman	Gregory Harrison
John A. Sullivan	Jeannette Smith	Elizabeth Jonitis
		Thedore Paullin

Representatives on

American Friends Service Committee, Incorporated

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N. E. Regional Office, 130 Brattle St., Cambridge 38, Mass.

For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
Moses Bailey	Louisa R. Alger	Katherine B. Perry
Joseph L. Hiller	Russell D. Brooks	J. Franklin Pineo
Caroline A. Price	W. Theodore Paullin	Henry B. Stevens

Friends Committee on National Legislation

245 2nd St., N. E., Washington 2, D. C.
Chairman: DAVID L. CURTIS

For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
Paul Butterworth	David L. Curtis	Thyra Jane Foster
John A. Sullivan	Penelope M. Turton	Margaret P. Welch

Friends Council on Education: Miriam E. Jones

Friends World Committee American Section and Fellowship Council

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For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
Margaret P. Welch	Thomas R. Bodine	Miriam E. Jones
Ruth D. B. White	Julianna R. Perry	Caleb A. Smith

Quaker Men: John H. Cann

Board of Directors of the Massachusetts Council of Churches:
Ernest H. Weed

State Board of United Church Women of Massachusetts:
Mary D. Maher

Social Concerns Committee

Chairman: DONNELL W. BOARDMAN

For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
Thomas Bassett	Donnell W. Boardman	Stanley L. Aldrich
Gordon M. Browne, Jr.	David L. Curtis	Stuart Chapin
Philip H. Cornell	Frances A. Howland	Ann de Nevers
Patricia D. Naeye	John R. Kellam	Anne Foster
Silas B. Weeks	Grace F. Luder	Adrian Knuttel

Student Loan Committee

Chairman: JOHN S. STAMM
Secretary: FLORENCE M. SELLECK

For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
Mary Elizabeth Jones	Winnifred A. Barrett	Doris P. Mowry
W. Fay Luder	Marian P. Cartland	Edith J. Teague
Florence M. Selleck	Rebecca G. Williams	Russell H. White
John S. Stamm		

Vaults and Records Committee

Chairman: ROBERT N. COOL

For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
Samuel B. Burgess	Thomas Bassett	Warder H. Cadbury
F. Warren Howe, Jr.	Robert N. Cool	Thyra Jane Foster
Doris P. Mowry	L. Ralston Thomas	Sarah N. Gallagher

Women's Missionary Society (Appoints its own officers)

President: Esther Weed
Vice-President: Beatrice Kimball
Corresponding Secretary: Grace F. Luder
Recording Secretary: Dorothy J. Averill
Treasurer: Amy S. Hayden
Auditor: Mary V. Myers

Secretaries of Departments:
- Literature: Hattie O. Cox
- Missionary Education: Mildred S. Richardson
- Youth and Children's Work: Bernice C. S. Douglas
- Stewardship: Ella H. Smart

Nominating Committee:
- For One Year: Edna C. Haviland
- For Two Years Grace P. Atkins
- For Three Years: Gertrude Lawrence

Young Friends Committee

Young Friends Officers appointed by Young Friends:
- Clerk: Robinson Lilienthal
- Recording Clerk: Nina Leberge
- Treasurer: Lee Douglas
- Arrangements Committee: Susan Kellam, Virginia Gove
- Young Friends Committee of North America: Elizabeth Chambers and Harrison Smith

Adult Members appointed by the Christian Education Committee:
Harold Myers, F. Warren Howe, Jr., Ruth Osborne

DEPARTMENTS

Education Department

Chairman: GEORGE I. BLISS

Members-at-Large appointed by the Yearly Meeting:

For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
Elizabeth F. Gifford	Virginia Phillips	George I. Bliss

From Yearly Meeting Committees:
China Camp: Richard S. Gove
Christian Education: Frances T. Gove
Moses Brown School and Lincoln School: Willard H. Ware
Mosher Book and Tract: Thyra Jane Foster
Student Loan Committee: John S. Stamm
Vaults and Records Committee:
Young Friends Committee:

Representatives from:
Beacon Hill Friends House:
Cambridge School:
Friends Council on Education: Miriam E. Jones
Meeting School:
Oak Grove School:

Finance Department

Chairman: ROBERT E. OWEN

Members-at-Large appointed by the Yearly Meeting:

For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
Clarence A. Jessell	Charles W. Wood	Edward A. White

From Yearly Meeting Committees:
Auditors of Permanent Funds:
Equalization Fund Committee:
Finance Committee: Robert E. Owen
Investments and Permanent Funds Committee: Edward A. White

Outreach Department

Chairman: GREGORY HARRISON

Members-at-Large appointed by the Yearly Meeting:

For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
Hattie O. Cox	Gregory Harrison	Robert N. Cool

From Yearly Meeting Committees:
Meetings and Extension: Harold W. Myers
Missionary: Ruth D. B. White
Five Years Meeting: Caleb A. Smith
Friends General Conference:

Representatives from:
Friends World Committee and Fellowship Council:
Quaker Men: John H. Cann
Women's Missionary Society: Esther Weed
Woolman Hill:

Peace and Social Concerns Department

Chairman: W. THEODORE PAULLIN
Secretary: MARION JESSELL

Members-at-Large appointed by the Yearly Meeting:

For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
Carolina A. Price	Gordon M. Browne, Jr.	Marion M. Jessell

From Yearly Meeting Committees:
New England Friends Home:
Peace Committee: Theodore Paullin
Social Concerns Committee: Donnell Boardman

Representatives from:
American Friends Service Committee: Louisa R. Alger
Friends Committee on National Legislation: David L. Curtis

The Clerk of the Yearly Meeting and the Field Secretary are ex-officio members of all Yearly Meeting Departments and Committees, and of the Permanent Board.
Department chairmen are ex-officio members of all committees within their departments.

LOCAL MEETING BIBLE SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENTS

Acton: Sibylle Barlow
Allen's Neck: Barbara S. Erickson
Bolton: Vaughn Henry
Burlington:
Cambridge: John Plank
Proctor Houghton
China: Roy Grindle
Concord:
Dartmouth: Esther Hawes
Dover: Shirley Leslie
Durham: Deane Rollins
Falmouth: Cornelia Edwards
Forest Avenue: Glenice Hutchins
Gonic:
Hanover: Mamye Noda
Hartford: Cynthia Reik
Constance Way
Lawrence: Vivian Strecker
Lynn: Lucille Corthell
Mattapoisett: Helen Bowman
Meaderboro:
Middle Connecticut Valley:
Middletown:
New Haven: Mary Bakke
North Fairfield: Leona G. Stevens
Parsonsfield: Ramona Day
Providence: Elizabeth Gifford
Smithfield: Lloyd Arnold
South Yarmouth: Mary D. Maher
Storrs:
Vassalboro: A. William Olsen, Jr.
Weare: Marian Adams
Wellesley: Sylvia Perry
Westport: George Johnson
Windham: Enora Jordan
Winthrop: Leah B. Kenney
Worcester: Edith C. Ware

QUARTERLY MEETING BIBLE SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENTS

Connecticut Valley: Elsa Cullen
Dover: Shirley Leslie
Falmouth: Glenice C. Hutchins
Northwest: Barbara Dyck
Rhode Island: Elizabeth F. Gifford
Salem: Patricia Lyon
Sandwich: Dorothy Williamson
Smithfield: Doris Mowry
Vassalboro: Marion E. Jones

RECORDED MINISTERS

New England Yearly Meeting of Friends

Connecticut Valley:	Moses Bailey Russell D. Brooks	Alexander C. Purdy W. Glenn Roberts
Dover:	John Folsom	Oliver M. Frazer
Falmouth:	George R. Hutchinson Peter Jonitis	Herbert Kimball Glenn McKee
Rhode Island:	Ann Gidley Lowry Harold W. Myers	
Salem:	Leslie H. Barrett Harold J. Chance Herbert S. Huffman W. Carleton Jones Walter R. Miles	Lawrence B. Moore Katharine H. Paton Henry H. Perry George A. Selleck James Wild
Sandwich:	William C. Hartnett	Ernest H. Weed
Smithfield:	Robert N. Cool Agnes W. Harrison George Jones, Jr.	Gren O. Pierrel Willard H. Ware
Vassalboro:	Lelia E. Taylor	

DIRECTORY OF MEETINGS

CONNECTICUT VALLEY QUARTERLY MEETING

Theodore Paullin, Clerk
Held on the first Sunday in February, May, August and October. In February in West Hartford, in May at New Haven, in August at Guilford or Rindge, and in October with Middle Connecticut Valley Monthly Meeting. Worship at 11 a.m., business meeting at 12:15 p.m., and at 2:30 p.m. further business, an address or special discussion. Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel the same day at 9:45 a.m. or the evening before, Helen Griffith, Clerk

Meeting	Location	Sunday Worship	Sunday School	Business Meeting	Clerk & Workers
Guilford Monthly Meeting	64 Fair Street Guilford, Conn.	10:00 A.M.		Third Tuesday 8:00 P.M.	John E. Kaltenbach, Clerk
Hartford Monthly Meeting	144 S. Quaker Lane West Hartford 7, Conn.	11:00 A.M.	11:00 A.M.	Second Thursday except July & August-7:45 P.M.	W. Wendell Clepper, Clerk
Storrs Mtg. for Worship	Rt. 195, Storrs, Conn. Across from Storrs Grammar School	11:00 A.M.	11:00 A.M.		Storrs F. Olds, Correspondent

Middle Conn. Valley Monthly Meeting	Sherwood Friends Center, Munson St., Greenfield, Mass.			Second Wednesday-7:45 P.M.	John H. Foster, Clerk
Amherst Mtg. for Worship	The Grange Hall, Corner of Main and Whitney Sts., Amherst, Mass.	11:00 A.M.	10:15 A.M.		
Gould Farm Preparative Mtg.	Gould Farm, home of Lester Clarke, Pleasant St., South Lee, Mass.	11:00 A.M.			
Greenfield Mtg. for Worship	Sherwood Friends Center, Munson St., Greenfield, Mass.	11:00 A.M. Third Sunday			
South Hadley Mtg. for Worship	South Hadley (Contact Corresp.)	4:30 P.M. Once a month			David Holden, Corres.
Middletown Monthly Mtg.	Downey House, Wesleyan U., High St., Middletown, Conn.	11:00	11:15	Homes of members, 3rd Sunday, 6:15	Ida Stabler, Clerk
Monadnock Monthly Mtg.	The Meeting School Thomas Rd., Rindge, New Hampshire	10:15		2nd Sunday after worship	Thera Hindmarsh, Clerk
New Haven Monthly Mtg.	Faculty Room, Conn. Hall, Yale U.	9:45		2nd Sunday, 11:00 (except June-Sept.)	Elizabeth C. Musgrave, Clerk

DOVER QUARTERLY MEETING

Ruth F. Osborne, Clerk. Held on the first Saturday in January, and on the fourth Saturday in April, August and October. In January at Gonic, N. H., in April at Dover, in August at Weare (Henniker Meeting House), and in October at Rochester. Worship at 11 a.m. and business meeting at 1:30 p.m. Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel at 10 a.m. the same day with Marian Meader as clerk.

Meeting	Location	Sunday Worship	Sunday School	Business Meeting	Clerk & Workers
Dover Monthly Meeting	Dover: January, April, July, October; Gonic: February, May, August, November; Rochester: March, June, September, December			2nd Tuesday, 7:30	Mildred S. Richardson, Clerk
Dover, N. H. Preparative	Central Ave. at Trakey St., Dover	11:00		Following Worship, 2nd Sunday in Jan., April, July, Sept.	Eleanor B. Dryer, Clerk
Gonic, N. H. Preparative	Maple St., Gonic	10:30		1st Sunday, 11:30	Ruth W. Young, Clerk
Rochester N. H. Preparative	Meaderboro, N. H. 4 mi. west of Rochester, off 202A	11:00	10:00	At call of Clerk	Dana W. Meader, Clerk Wilbur L. Reid, Pastor
Weare Monthly Meeting	Federated Church North Weare, N. H.	9:45 (except July)	11:00	1st Thursday, 8:00 p.m., homes of members	Elizabeth P. Straw, Clerk
Concord Preparative	2 Thorndike St., Concord, November-April; Booth-Rush Home, Shaker Road, Canterbury, May-October.	10:00		Sunday before first Thursday, after worship	David L. Curtis, Clerk Anona Nash, Corres.

FALMOUTH QUARTERLY MEETING

Ira M. Wine, Clerk. Held on the last Saturday in January, May, August and October. In January at Oak St., Portland, Me., in May at Forest Ave., Portland; in August at Durham; in October at Windham. Worship at 11 a.m. and business meeting at 1:00 p.m. Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel the same day at 10 a.m. with Vivian M. Woodbury as clerk.

	Location	Sunday Worship	Sunday School	Business Meeting	Clerk & Workers
Durham Monthly Meeting	South Durham, Me. Rt. 125, between Freeport and Lisbon Falls	10:00	11:00	3rd Wednesday, 7:30	Peter P. Jonitis, Clerk Herbert R. Kimball, Pastor
Falmouth Monthly Mtg.	83 Oak St., Portland, Maine	10:45 (except July and August)	10:45	3rd Thursday, 7:30 except June-August	Albert R. Moore, Clerk Earl K. Sweatland, Pastor
Forest Ave. Monthly Mtg.	1837 Forest Ave., Portland, Maine	10:30 Summer, 9:30	10:50	1st Tuesday, 8 p.m. Homes of members	Stanley L. Aldrich, Clerk
Parsonsfield Monthly Mtg.	East Parsonsfield, Maine	10:30 Summer	11:45	Held at the call of the Clerk	Ramona E. Day, Clerk
Sandwich Monthly Mtg.	North Sandwich, N. H.	10:30 (June-August)		Held at the call of the Clerk	Marion I. Spaulding, Clerk
Windham Monthly Mtg.	Windham Center, Maine, Route 202	9:00	10:00	3rd Sunday, 10 a.m.	Gloria R. Smith, Clerk Earl K. Sweatland, Pastor

NORTHWEST QUARTERLY MEETING

Alan Walker, clerk. Held at Farm and Wilderness Camp, West Bridgewater, Vermont, September 9, 1962; Bennington, Vermont, December 9, 1962; Waterman Lounge, Burlington, Vt., March 10, 1963; Farm and Wilrerness Camp, West Bridgewater, Vt., June 2, 1963. Meeting for Worship at 11 a.m. Meeting for business at 1:30 p.m. Meeting on Ministry and Counsel held the evening before at 8 with John Sullivan as clerk. Consult clerk for place of meeting in Bennington.

Meeting	Location	Sunday Worship	Sunday School	Business Meeting	Clerk & Workers
Bennington, Vt. Monthly Meeting	Old Bennington School House, Rt. 9	3:00		4th Sunday, after worship	Marion Smith, Clerk
Burlington Monthly Mtg.	179 N. Prospect St., Burlington, Vt.	11:00	11:00	1st Sunday, alternately 12:00 & 1:30 p.m., Sept. through May	Richard L. Naeye Clerk
Plainfield, Vt. Mtg. for Worship	Alan Walker home, Martin Meadow Rd., Plainfield, Vt.	11:00			Alan Walker, Corres.
Middlebury, Vt., Mtg. for Worship	Sunderland Chapel Middlebury College	7:00 p.m. (college year)			E. Kirk Roberts, Corres.
Hanover, N. H. Monthly Mtg.	Christian Union Lounge, Dartmouth College, Hanover. William Chambers Home, Chambers Rd., Hanover.	10:45 Sept. 15-June 1 9:30 June-Sept. 15	10:45	1st Sunday, 2 p.m.	Susan H. Webb, Clerk

RHODE ISLAND QUARTERLY MEETING

Edward A. White, clerk. Held on the third Saturday in January, April, July and October. In January at Providence; in April at Westerly; in July at North Dartmouth, Mass.; and in October at Saylesville, R. I. Starting at 1:30 p.m. with supper and evening session in January and October; starting usually at 10:30 with lunch and afternoon meeting in April and July. Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel the same day, with Thyra Jane Foster as Clerk.

Meeting	Location	Sunday Worship	Sunday School	Business Meeting	Clerk & Workers
North Dartmouth Monthly Meeting	State Road, Rt. 6, North Dartmouth, Mass., near Smith Mills	11:00		Last Sunday in March, June, Sept. and December, after Worship	Marian B. Goodwin, Clerk
Providence Monthly Meeting	99 Morris Ave., Providence, R. I.	11:00	10:00	Even months, 2nd Thursday, 7:30; Odd months, 2nd Sunday, 2 p.m.	Harold W. Myers, Clerk
Saylesville Preparative Mtg.	Great Rd., Saylesville, R. I.	11:00		Held at call of Clerk. Monthly Meeting held in Saylesville in March, May, July, September.	J. Rudolph Metz, Clerk
Westerly Monthly Meeting	57 Elm St. Westerly, R. I.	11:00 July- Sept., 10:30	10:30	Last Sunday in March, June, Sept., Dec., 12:00	Marjorie B. Taylor, Clerk

SALEM QUARTERLY MEETING

Ronald S. Steelman, clerk. Held on the third Sunday: October at Cambridge, in May 1963 at Lawrence. Worship at 11 a.m., business meeting at 1:30 p.m. and occasionally a speaker or program at 2:30 p.m. Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel at 10 a.m. the same day with Edna C. Haviland as clerk.

Meeting	Location	Sunday Worship	Sunday School	Business Meeting	Clerk & Workers
Amesbury Monthly Mtg.	Friend & Greenleaf Sts., near Whitehall Road, Amesbury, Mass. (Contact Clerk for winter meetings)	10:45 May-Sept.		1st Thursday, 14 Beacon St., Amesbury, 7 p.m.	Dorothy J. Averill, Clerk
Cambridge Monthly Mtg.	5 Longfellow Park, Cambridge, Mass.	9:30 & 11:00	9:30 11:00	2nd Thursday, 7:30	Roderick Firth, Clerk George Selleck, Secretary
Hingham Preparative Mtg.	New England Friends Home, Turkey Hill Lane, Hingham, Mass.	10:30 9:30 (June-August)		1st Monday, at homes of members, 8 p.m.	Fritz G. Renken, Clerk
Acton Preparative Mtg.	Women's Club Building, Acton Center, Mass.	10:00 7:30 on last Sunday		Last Sunday, 8:30 p.m.	Ellen C. Bell, Clerk
Boston Mtg. for Worship	6 Chestnut St. Boston, Mass.	11:00			Ernest H. Weed, Corres.
Lawrence Monthly Meeting	45 Avon St. Lawrence, Mass.	11:00	10:00	1st Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.	Gertrude Richardson Clerk Glenn Douglas, Pastor

Lynn Monthly Meeting	68 Silsbee St., off Broad St., Lynn, Mass.	11:00	10:00	2nd Wednesday, 8 p.m.	Richard S. Gove, Clerk
Wellesley Monthly Meeting	Ten Acre School, Benvenue St. Wellesley, Mass.	10:30	10:30	3rd Thursday, at homes of members, 7:45 p.m.	Garrett S. Hoag, Clerk

SANDWICH QUARTERLY MEETING

Donald C. McLeod, clerk. Held on the second Saturday in January, April, July and October. July 1962 at Smith Neck, October at Sandwich, January at New Bedford, April at Westport, and July 1963 at West Falmouth. Worship at 11 a.m. with business following. Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel at 10 a.m. the same day with Frank J. Lepreau, Jr. as clerk.

Meeting	**Location**	**Sunday Worship**	**Sunday School**	**Business Meeting**	**Clerk & Workers**
Allen's Neck Monthly Mtg.	Horseneck Road, Dartmouth, Mass.	9:45	11:00	4th Wednesday, 8 p.m.	Rebecca E. Trask, Clerk Philip H. Miller, Pastor
Dartmouth Monthly Mtg.	Smith Neck Rd. S. Dartmouth, Mass.	10:00	9:00	1st Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.	Julia C. Howland, Clerk
New Bedford Monthly Mtg.	Spring St., New Bedford, Mass.			3rd Sunday in March, June, Sept., Dec., 2:30 p.m.	Bertha Pierce, Clerk
New Bedford Preparative Mtg.	Spring St., New Bedford, Mass.	11:00		At call of Clerk	Ida M. Mesner, Clerk Hinson V. Howlett, Pastor

(Sandwich Quarterly Meeting continued)

Meeting	Location	Sunday Worship	Sunday School	Business Meeting	Clerk & Workers
Long Plain Preparative Mtg.				1st Wednesday after 2nd Thursday-April & October, Mattapoisett; July at Acushnet, 11 a.m.	Bertha Pierce, Clerk
Long Plain Particular Mtg.	Main St., Acushnet, Mass.	7:30 p.m. 2nd Wednesday			Bessie H. Martin, Corres. Hinson Howlett, Pastor
Mattapoisett Particular Mtg.	Route 6, 8 miles east of New Bedford, Mass.	11:00	10:00		Cynthia J. Powers, Corres. Earle D. Wilson, Worker
Sandwich Monthly Meeting				Held at call of Clerk	Annie E. Rose, Clerk
East Sandwich Mtg. for Worship	East Sandwich, Mass., off Rt. 6A	11:00, 1st Sunday in August			
South Yarmouth Preparative Mtg.	North Main St., South Yarmouth, Mass.	10:00	10:50	Last Sunday, after Worship.	David Douglas, Clerk
West Falmouth Preparative Mtg.	West Falmouth, Mass.	11:00 July & August			Cecelia H. Fuglister, Clerk
Swansea Monthly Mtg.	Prospect St. Somerset, Mass. 1 mi. north of Rt. 6	11:00		Held at call of Clerk	Dorothy F. Williamson, Clerk

Westport Monthly Mtg.	Main Road, Central Village, Mass.	10:45	9:30	2nd Sunday after Worship	Frank J. Lepreau, Jr., Clerk Edwin Hinshaw, Pastor

SMITHFIELD QUARTERLY MEETING

Clayton T. Drown, clerk. Held on the third Saturday in April, July, and October. In April at Worcester, Mass., in July at the old Bolton meeting house in Old Sturbridge Village, Sturbridge, Mass. (starts with picnic lunch at 12:00), and in October at Woonsocket, R. I. Worship at 2:30 p.m. and business meeting at 3:30. Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel at 1:30 p.m. with Lloyd C. Arnold as clerk.

Meeting	Location	Sunday Worship	Sunday School	Business Meeting	Clerk & Workers
Bolton Monthly Meeting	Federated, at Unitarian Church, Bolton, Mass.	11:00	10:00	Held at call of Clerk	Margaret Ware, Clerk Howard P. Davis, Pastor
Smithfield Monthly Meeting	126 Smithfield Rd., Woonsocket, R. I.	11:00	9:45	Last Friday, 7.30 p.m.	Melita B. Fisher, Clerk Robert N. Cool, Pastor
Worcester Monthly Meeting	19 Oxford St., at Chatham St., Worcester, Mass.	11:00	10:00	2nd Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.	Willard H. Ware, Clerk Rutherford Everest, Pastor

VASSALBORO QUARTERLY MEETING

George F. Cates, clerk. Held on the first Saturday in February, May, August, and October, and on the second Sunday in November. February at East Vassalboro, Me., May at Winthrop Center, August at South China, October at North Fairfield, and November at Oak Grove School, Vassalboro. Worship at 11 a.m., business meeting at 1:30 p.m.; in November worship is at 2 p.m., business meeting at 3 p.m. Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel at 1 p.m. the same day with Robert E. Owen as clerk.

Meeting	Location	Sunday Worship	Sunday School	Business Meeting	Clerk & Workers
China Monthly Meeting	Community Church, South China, Maine, just off Rt. 202	10:30	11:30	Wednesday after 2nd Thursday, 8 p.m.	Marion E. Jones, Clerk David Van Strein, Pastor
Maple Grove Monthly Mtg.	Maple Grove, Me., Rt. 1A, 6 mi. south of Ft. Fairfield	(contact Clerk)		Held irregularly	Ruth A. Howard, Clerk
North Fairfield Monthly Mtg.	N. Fairfield, Me., Rt. 104, 2½ mi. north of Fairfield Ctr.	10:30 (except winter)	11:30	3rd Sunday, 12:00 April-November	Leona Stevens, Clerk Lelia E. Taylor, Pastor
Oak Grove Monthly Meeting	Oak Grove School, Vassalboro, Me.	7:30 p.m.		3rd Tuesday, 7 p.m., except summer	Robert E. Owen, Clerk
Vassalboro Monthly Meeting	Upper Pleasant St., East Vassalboro, Me.	10:00 8:00 p.m., 1st & 3rd Sundays	11:00	2nd Sunday, at homes of members, 8:00 p.m.	Annabel I. Cates, Clerk Claude Nutter, Pastor
Winthrop Monthly Meeting	Winthrop Center, Me., Rt. 135, 4 mi. east of Winthrop	11:00 (10:00 summer)	10:00	Last Sunday, 7:30 p.m.	Hazel C. Foster, Clerk Leland P. Bechtel, Pastor

FRIENDS MEETINGS IN NEW ENGLAND BELONGING TO OTHER YEARLY MEETINGS

Meeting	Location	Sunday worship	Clerk or Correspondent
Monkton Ridge Monthly Meeting (N. Y.)	Monkton Ridge, Vt.	9:30	Marjorie Lawrence, Clerk
Newport, R. I. (Ohio)	21 Farewell St.	11:00	David Jackson
Newton Preparative Mtg. (N. Y.)	Queen St., Newtown, Conn.	11:00	Audrey Bielefield, Clerk
Portsmouth, R. I. (Ohio)	Middle Road at Hedley St.	11:00	Marguerite Briggs, Clerk
Stamford, Conn. Monthly Mtg. (N. Y.)	Roxbury Ave. & Westover Rd., at Den Rd. exit of Merritt Parkway	10:00	Peter Bentley, Clerk
Wilton, Conn. Monthly Mtg. (N. Y.)	Kingdom and Reservoir Rds.	11:00	Carol Thompson, Clerk

INDEPENDENT MEETING

Meeting	Location	Sunday worship	Clerk or Correspondent
Worcester, Mass. 901 Pleasant St. Friends Meeting	901 Pleasant St., Worcester, Mass.	11:00	Francis J. W. Wheeler, Clerk Frances L. Reid, Corres.

OCCASIONAL FRIENDS MEETINGS FOR WORSHIP IN NEW ENGLAND

Location of Meeting House	Hour of Worship	Contact Person
Adams, Mass. Friend Street	First Sunday in September at 3:00	Lucy A. Booth
Casco, Maine Quaker Ridge	Each Sunday during July and August at 2:30	Betsy Miller
Dartmouth, Mass. Apponegansett, near Russells Mills	Last Sunday in July at 3:00	Julia Howland
Henniker, N. H.	First Thursday in August at 10:30	Henry T. Osborne
Little Compton, R. I.	Last Sunday in August at 3:00	Carleton C. Brownell
Jamestown, R. I.	Each Sunday in July and August at 10:30	Catharine M. Wright
Nantucket, Mass. Fair Street	Each Sunday in July and August at 10:45	Hanna D. Monaghan
North Pembroke, Mass. Junction of Rts. 3 & 139	Third Sunday in July and second Sunday in September at 3:30	Margaret C. Dumas
South Uxbridge, Mass. Route 146	Second Sunday in June and October at 3:00	Melita B. Fisher
Unity, N. H. Quaker City 7 mi. south of Claremont	First Sunday in August at 11:00 a.m.	Henry T. Osborne
West Epping, N. H.	First Sunday in October at 2:00 p.m.	John B. Folsom

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MINUTES

OF THE

NEW ENGLAND

Yearly Meeting of Friends

Three Hundred Third Session

Held at

PROVIDENCE, RHODE ISLAND

Sixth Month 18th through Sixth Month 23rd

1963

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OF THE

NEW ENGLAND

Yearly Meeting of Friends

1. The three hundred third session of the New England Yearly Meeting of Friends meeting at Pembroke College in Providence, Rhode Island, Sixth Month 18-23, 1963.

In 1652 something happened to a group of men and women in a remote corner of Northwest England which completely changed their humdrum, work-a-day lives...sending some to preach the gospel, some to prison, some to the far ends of the earth, some even to death: calling all of them to live on a new plane in a new warmth of spiritual fellowship. It is difficult to describe in words what happened to them... what it was that transformed their lives. Frances Howgill, of the Valiant Sixty, put it this way. "The Kingdom of Heaven did gather us and catch us all as in a net."

2. The Roll of Representatives was called.

CONNECTICUT VALLEY: Rose Schafer, Theodore Paullin, Thera Hindmarsh, Don O. Noel, Jr., Brad Noel, John Foster, Georgana Foster, Helen Griffith, George I. Bliss.

DOVER: Eleanor Dryer, Ruth Osborne, Henry B. Stevens.

FALMOUTH: Herbert Kimball, Clarabel Marstaller, Virginia Phillips, Beatrice Kimball, Peter Jonitis, Margaret Wentworth, Ira M. Wine, Frances York, Louis J. Marstaller.

NORTHWEST: John Sullivan, Nancy Booth, Henry Williams, Rebecca Williams, Thomas Bassett, Elizabeth Ballard.

RHODE ISLAND: Grace Hardy, T. Jane Foster, John C. Smith, Carol Kellam, Thomas Perry, Sr., Marian Goodwin.

SALEM: Samuel Burgess, Jane Burgess, Dorothy Averill, Edna Haviland, Chester Smith, Grace Atkins, Ruth Mellor, Florence Selleck.

SANDWICH: Ida Mesner, Dorothy Williamson, Gordon Browne, Philip Cornell, Margaret Douglas, Karl Erickson, Ernest Weed.

SMITHFIELD: Gregory Harrison, Jane Cook, Edith Ware, Willard H. Ware, Melita B. Fisher, Nellie Fisher, Eunice Strobel, Doris Mowry.

VASSALBORO: Malvena Robbins, Annabel Cates, Eva Otis, Grace Frost, Leona Stevens, Miriam E. Jones, Robert Owen, Eva P. Owen.

3. William Bacon Evans presented his Minute from Philadelphia Yearly Meeting. Other Friends in attendance with us are Herbert and Ruthana Hadley and their children, Carol,

Helen, and Stephen, recently returned from Woodbrooke where Herbert has been General Secretary for the Friends World Committee; Charles Harker, Baltimore Yearly Meetings, Administrative Secretary of the Friends Committee on National Legislation; Paul Lacey, Earlham College, Indiana Yearly Meeting; Lawrence Miller, General Secretary of the Friends General Conference, Philadelphia Yearly Meeting; David Stanfield, Secretary of the Board on Stewardship and Finance of the Five Years Meeting; Richard Stenhouse, his wife Ella and their children, Richard and David, from Pendle Hill.

4. Carleton and Saundra Cates were introduced, not as visitors, but under their new appointment as Directors of China Camp.

5. Members of the Junior Yearly Meeting were represented by James Estes who brought a message to the Yearly Meeting. About seventy-five Juniors were present.

6. Robinson Lilienthal spoke for the Young Friends numbering about fifty-five at this session.

7. A returning minute was read expressing appreciation for our member, Daisy Newman, recently returned from London Yearly Meeting and a trip with Young Friends in the North West Country of England.

8. The Summary of the Minutes of the Permanent Board was read by its Clerk, Winslow Osborne. Two matters that require action of the Yearly Meeting will be taken up in the further sessions. (Minutes 11, 37)

MINUTES OF THE PERMANENT BOARD
SUMMARY, 1962-63

Since the 1962 session of Yearly Meeting, three regular meetings and one special meeting of the Permanent Board have been held. One was held on Sixth Month 24th, 1962 with 26 members present, one on Twelfth Month first, 1962 with 32 members present, and one on Sixth Month 18th, 1963 with 25 members present.

Winslow H. Osborne was reappointed presiding clerk and John H. Foster was reappointed recording clerk.

The following memorials were read and forwarded to the Yearly Meeting: Ella H. Smart, Hattie O. Cox, Joseph L. Hiller, and Phebe Perry.

The Board heard a report that the Falmouth property of the Yearly Meeting has been sold for $1000 and expressed its appreciation to the committee and to Louis Marstaller for the successful completion of this matter.

At the request of the Missionary Committee, the Board approved expenditures totaling $3350 from the Sturgis Fund and the Freedman's Funds.

At the request of the Board the Clerk and George and Helen Bliss presented a letter, stating our opposition to capital punishment, to the Governor of New Hampshire in connection with the planned execution of Fred Martineau and Russell Nelson.

At the special meeting, the Board considered a request of the Moses Brown and Lincoln School Committee for permission to borrow up to $500,000 to use in the building program at Moses Brown School. While repayment of this loan is the legal responsibility of the Yearly Meeting, it is expected that it will be repaid over a 5½ year period from anticipated receipts of the building fund drive and tuitions. Although some members of the Board expressed disapproval, the Board authorized the School Committee to borrow up to $500,000 under the plan presented. Postponement of a decision until June was suggested to permit members more time to consider the borrowing of up to half a million dollars, but the need for an immediate decision was expressed, and the action was taken.

A concern was presented that the Yearly Meeting should clearly answer the question of why it continues to operate Moses Brown and Lincoln Schools. It was pointed out that trust funds under the control of the Yearly Meeting and designated for use by the schools provide substantial income each year to our two schools, while about two percent of the student body are members of the Society of Friends.

Vassalboro Quarterly Meeting forwarded a minute which showed that it has laid down Maple Grove Monthly Meeting in northern Maine. The Board appointed a committee to make recommendations on the property of this Meeting and to obtain the records of the Meeting if possible.

The Committee to study the hiring of a Yearly Meeting Young Friends worker reported on both the functions and costs of such a worker with the recommendation that the project go forward. The Finance Committee proposes that $2000 for this purpose be included in the Yearly Meeting budget and the remaining cost, of $6500 for a full-time worker, or $3000 for a part time worker, be raised through special gifts. The Board forwarded this report to the Yearly Meeting for its action, with the hope that way will be found to carry this matter forward.

The Board recommends to the Yearly Meeting that it take final action to approve the section of the new discipline having to do with the amending procedure of the discipline.

WINSLOW OSBORNE, Clerk
JOHN FOSTER, Recording Clerk

9. Louis Marstaller presented the Statistical Report prepared by Grace Atkins for the Yearly Meeting. (See Tabulated Statement on page 46.) The report shows a gain in membership of forty one. This is an encouraging note but we are warned that it is not yet a time for complacency.

10. In the worship period before the afternoon business session, memorials were read for Joseph L. Hiller, Phebe F. Perry, Ella H. Smart and Hattie O. Cox.

MEMORIAL TO JOSEPH L. HILLER

Joseph Lilburne Hiller, born Twelfth Month 8, 1878, died Ninth Month 17, 1962 a few weeks before he was eighty four years old. He was a faithful member of New Bedford Monthly Meeting and carried his loyalty and devotion towards the Society of Friends into the Quarterly and Yearly Meetings by regular attendance and service. He bore the responsibilities of the Long Plain Preparative Meeting and Mattapoisett Particular Meeting and was a friend to everyone. Quietly and unassumingly, he went about among people trying to create an interest in his local Meeting. Each Sabbath morning he journeyed into the highways and byways, filled his car with children, and took them to Bible School. By his kindness, his generosity, and his friendliness he endeared himself to all.

In 1930 Joseph Hiller was appointed to the Permanent Board of the Yearly Meeting and served for nineteen years. For many years he served on the Finance Committee, and was auditor of the property of the Yearly Meeting for seventeen years. For shorter periods he was associated with other committees; and outside of the Yearly Meeting, but which had a familiar interest in it, was the Obadiah Brown Benevolent Fund of which he was a trustee for fifty eight years until his death; and its treasurer for twenty nine years. Most efficient and faithful in all its transactions, and in the financial business of the Yearly Meeting, he was very meticulous in all his work. He was a humble man but persistent and insistent that records be kept properly and wrongs, as he saw them, be righted.

MEMORIAL TO PHEBE F. PERRY

Phebe F. Perry, a life-long member of Westerly Monthly Meeting of Friends, departed this life on the 27th of Eleventh Month, 1962, in her seventy fifth year. Descended from early Friends of the seventeenth century, the way was open for her to follow in the Quaker tradition. But early in her life Phebe became a follower not of mere tradition but of the light revealed within her. Dedicated to the leadings of her Master as she earnestly sought the way of truth, she became a loving and beloved disciple in her home, in her local Meeting, in the Yearly Meeting, and in an extensive community. From near and far she was looked up to and leaned upon for her sympathetic understanding, her wisdom, and her unselfish love. Her home became also the home of two children whom she adopted, and in more recent years, also the home of the husband and five children of one of these.

Phebe Perry had the benefit of excellent education, having graduated from Westtown, attended Radcliffe College with the Class of 1912, then Wheelock School (now College) in Boston. In 1921 she became a volunteer nurse at the Children's Hospital at Chalons-Sur-Marne in France. Many of her dedications were known to few, if any, but herself. Her service on important committees of the Yearly Meeting was greatly valued. Few have taken such devoted personal interest in giving of their gifts of their time and strength. Phebe's contributions to others consisted of generous gifts of herself, carrying the message of her loving spirit and the glow of the light within her that guided her own personality. Of such, we believe, living unpretentiously, but in deep faith and devotion, is the kingdom of Heaven.

MEMORIAL TO ELLA H. SMART

Falmouth Monthly Meeting records with sorrow the death of Ella H. Smart on Fourth Month 29, 1963 at the age of eighty-one years. Friends and relatives who knew her testify to the radiant spirit which was hers through life. That radiant spirit was a bulwark of strength to her husband and family. Her influence radiated out to her community. Perhaps her biggest zeal was expended on the Women's Christian Temperance Union, for she hated liquor with all its sordid train of evil.

A life member of the Oak Street Meeting of Friends; to say that she was active in the work of that Meeting is hardly doing her memory justice. Perhaps her biggest love here was missions, though she worked hard on finances, and for the work of the American Friends Service Committee. And on many other facets of the work of her Meeting, including the position of being an elder for many years, she gave time, study and purpose. Ella was a Yearly Meeting Friend. Here, too, missions and finances stood out from a larger number of committees on which she served. To sum up, she met the busyness and restlessness of modern life with a testimony for simplicity, rooted in her own inherent stability. She was unusually sensitive to the feelings, opinions, and weaknesses of others. She understood life's true values. She was much loved.

MEMORIAL TO HATTIE O. COX

It was with profound sorrow that on May 2, 1963, the Durham Monthly Meeting of Friends learned of the passing of one of its most active and faithful members — Hattie O. Cox. She was born April 12, 1890 in Massachusetts, but when very young was brought to Brunswick, Maine, where she lived the remainder of her life. She attended Farmington State Normal School and for nearly fifty years was a teacher in both public and Friends' schools. Her Meeting activities began at an early age, and she continued to give unusual service at all levels throughout her life. In her home Meeting she was a Sunday School teacher for many years. She was also active on the Finance Committee, Chairman of the Trustees, always interested in the Missionary Society, and in every Meeting activity. She was never an onlooker, but stepped into the middle of every worthwhile cause. She used her good judgment and keen mind, and because she cared, things moved. She was instrumental in urging the purchase of the Parsonage, and then with her able Committee, made it a desirable home. When the one hundredth anniversary of the Meeting House was observed, she compiled a history covering that period. During this past winter, she completed the history to the present date. When the Meeting sought an addition, she was a power behind the movement. Indeed, that portion of the Meeting House might well be a memorial to Hattie O. Cox.

She had a great capacity for responsibility, a keen balanced mind, and that rare ability to deal with both sides of a question, without rancor, and to gently lead to satisfactory and happy solutions. In the Quarterly Meeting she served for a long period as Clerk. The Yearly Meeting appointed her to serve on the Permanent Board for a number of years, and she was a member of that Board at the time of her passing. She also was on the Nominating Committee. For ten years she was Secretary of the Department of Literature for the Women's Missionary Society, and a member-at-large for the Outreach Department. Her life went on in calmness and serenity in both problems and pleasures, truly reflecting the Master whom she served.

These Friends have been very active in the affairs of this Yearly Meeting; they will be deeply missed. We hold them in loving memory as we move forward in the business of this meeting.

11. George Selleck presented the report of the Discipline Revision Committee. The work has gone forward but has not yet been completed. The greatest number of suggested changes concerned the Queries, so detailed study was made by the Committee on the use, the content and the spirit of these searching questions. Appreciation is expressed for the care that has gone into this work and the Meeting feels ready to accept the revised form of the Queries to be held until the remainder of the Discipline is ready.

Changes and clarification in Part II, Practice and Procedure, were presented and considered (see Minute 37).

REPORT OF THE DISCIPLINE REVISION COMMITTEE

The Committee appointed to revise the Discipline began the year with high hopes of completing its work by this session of the Yearly Meeting. But in spite of having meetings about once each month during the year we have not been able to accomplish what we had hoped. We have done a great deal of work on the Introduction and Part I on "Faith and Life," but do not yet have it in shape to present to the Yearly Meeting.

Last year we presented a draft revision of Part II on "Practice and Procedure" asking that Friends examine it and let us know of any corrections or changes needed. Many Meetings and groups of Friends have responded. We have considered all suggestions made and have incorporated many of them into our final proposed draft. Our final report on Part II consists not of a new draft but of a list of the changes we propose in the draft published last year.

These changes are of three kinds:

(1) Corrections of typographical errors.

(2) Changes needed for clarity of meaning. And

(3) Changes in substance usually as suggested by Friends who have been kind enough to send in their comments and which the committee agrees should be made. We hope they meet with your approval, for in most cases we feel they have added to the clarity or usefulness of our Discipline.

The Committee has found a great diversity of response to its proposed draft of the Queries. Some Friends feel that they are not strong enough, others that they are too strong. There seems to be some difference of opinion as to what the Queries are expected to be. Some feel that the Queries should reflect the accepted Quaker practice of the time. Others feel that the Queries should set forth the standards to which we should all as Quakers aspire even though our practice may not yet come up to these standards. It is the second of these definitions which has been accepted by our committee and according to which we have tried to work. We hope that our new draft of the

Queries will prove more acceptable than the one presented last year. We realize that all cannot be pleased. But we hope it is something on which we can agree.

We hope to be able to present a completed draft of Part I by the time of the next Yearly Meeting.

12. James E. Bristol, Philadelphia Yearly Meeting, a representative from the American Friends Service Committee, is welcomed in our sessions and brings greetings from Russell and Irene Johnson, our friends who cannot attend but are thinking of us as we gather here.

13. The Yearly Meeting learns with regret that illness has prevented Russell Rees from attendance with us. As secretary of the Board on Christian Education of the Five Years Meeting, he was to have been a Workshop leader. We send our loving greeting hoping that his recovery may be soon and complete.

14. The greetings of this Meeting will be carried to the Junior Yearly Meeting by Marion E. Kelsey and George I. Bliss.

15. Robert E. Owen presented the tentative report of the Finance Committee (see Minute 45).

16. F. Warren Howe, Jr. gave the Report of the Treasurer which follows and was accepted.

REPORT OF THE TREASURER NEW ENGLAND YEARLY MEETING OF FRIENDS

June 1, 1962 through May 31, 1963

Summary of Budget Account

Budget contributions from Meetings	$21,968.98
Total budget adopted June 1962	24,685.00
Amount received from Meetings last year	20,115.03
Percentage increase of receipts from Meetings this year over last	9.2%
Total budget expenses (including transfers)	23,458.67
Percentage of budget actually received (including income from invested funds, Women's Missionary Society, Etc.)	98.5%
Total budget receipts	24,299.60

RECEIPTS

Receipts for budget:		
Receipts from Meetings		
Connecticut Valley		
Guilford	$ 145.00	
Hartford	849.50	
Middle Conn. Valley	500.00	
Middletown		185.00
New Haven		660.00
Monadnock		100.00
		$2439.50

Dover

Dover (Monthly Meeting)	
Dover Part. Mtg.	185.00
Gonic	136.85
Rochester	0.00
Weare	100.00
	$ 421.85

Falmouth

Durham	1219.42
Falmouth (Oak St.)	783.10
Forest Avenue	295.00
Parsonsfield	0.00
Sandwich	63.00
Windham	85.21
	$2445.73

Northwest

Burlington	481.50
Hanover	410.00
Bennington	100.00
	$ 991.50

Rhode Island

North Dartmouth	250.00
Providence	2040.00
Westerly	500.00
	$2790.00

Salem

Amesbury	205.00
Cambridge	4400.00
Lawrence	650.00
Lynn	560.00
Wellesley	760.00
Hingham Prep.	50.00
	$6625.00

Sandwich

Allen's Neck	$ 495.00
Dartmouth (Smith's Neck)	260.00
New Bedford	
Monthly Meeting	320.00
Preparative Mtg.	390.00
Long Plain	380.00
Mattapoisett	0.00
Sandwich	
Sandwich Prep. Meeting	150.00
West Falmouth Prep. Mtg.	85.20
Yarmouth Prep. Meeting	290.00
Swansea	500.00
Westport	100.00
	$2970.20

Smithfield

Bolton	335.00
Smithfield	600.90
Worcester	740.00
	$1675.90

Vassalboro

China	270.00
Maple Grove	0.00
North Fairfield	230.00
Oak Grove	350.00
Vassalboro	455.00
Winthrop	304.30
	$1609.30

TOTAL RECEIVED FROM MEETINGS $21,968.98

QUARTERLY MEETING PER CAPITA GIVING FOR BUDGET

	Members	**Per Capita**	**Total**
Connecticut Valley	484	$ 5.04	$ 2439.50
Dover	208	2.02	421.85
Falmouth	411	5.95	2445.73
Northwest	79	12.53	991.50
Rhode Island	258	10.81	2790.00
Salem	782	8.47	6625.00
Sandwich	471	6.31	2970.20
Smithfield	265	6.32	1675.90
Vassalboro	252	6.38	1609.30
	3210	$ 6.84	$21,968.98

Total Received from Meetings	$21,968.98
Income Received from Invested Funds	1,625.12
Received from Women's Missionary Society	654.50
Special Contributions	251.00
	24,499.60
Less Budget Transfer	200.00
TOTAL BUDGET RECEIPTS	$24,299.60

Miscellaneous receipts:		
Executive Council		
Income from invested funds	$ 52.75	
Sale of Recorders Book	1.25	
Sale of Marriage Certificate	2.50	$ 56.50
Meetings and Extension Committee, income from invested funds		59.42
General Equalization Fund — contributions		851.75
Mosher Book and Tract Committee, income from invested funds		536.45
Printing Discipline — Receipts from sale of Discipline		39.79
Student Loan Committee		
Interest on Loans	87.47	
Interest on Deposits	378.26	
Repayment of Loans	815.15	1,280.88
S. B. Kirby Fund — income from invested funds		82.05
H. Camp Fund — income from invested funds		33.43
J. P. & J. A. Boyce Fund — income from invested funds		37.67
B. F. Knowles Fund — income from invested funds		896.65
George Sturge Fund — income from invested funds		912.73
Anna Brown Fund — income from invested funds		263.77
Five Years Meeting — Special Giving — African Appeal		450.50
Vault Committee — contribution		100.00
Camp at China, Maine — contributions		225.00
Sale of "The Standard of the Lord Lifted Up" by M. H. Jones		161.19
Sale of "The Business of Our Lives" by D. Newman		2.25
Sale of Falmouth Property		972.80
Lucy Melcher Bequest to Lincoln School		4221.60
Friends Committee on National Legislation		83.00
Received for rooms and meals at Yearly Meeting		4885.09
TOTAL MISCELLANEOUS RECEIPTS		$16,152.52

EXPENDITURES

Budget Expenses	**Budget**	**Actually Expended**
For Activities of Five Years Meeting	$ 6000.00	$ 6000.00
Five Years Meeting Expenses, assessment $1 per member	3210.00	3210.00
For Yearly Meeting Activities		
Peace Committee	300.00	237.21
Social Concerns Committee	250.00	23.13
Christian Education Committee	300.00	300.00
Junior Yearly Meeting	250.00	250.00
Friends Committee on National Legislation	200.00	200.00
Friends World Committee & Fellowship Council	350.00	350.00

Young Friends Committee		200.00	216.50
Meetings and Extension Committee		300.00	168.85
Missionary Committee		100.00	0.00
Vaults and Records Committee		50.00	50.00
New England Friends Home Committee		1500.00	1,500.00
China Camp Committee		100.00	100.00
Executive Council		300.00	109.75
Travel Expenses for Representatives of Yearly Meeting to A. F. S. C., Friends World Committee and Fellowship Council, F. C. N. L., Five Years Meeting Boards, and Friends General Conference Committees.		300.00	138.18
Representatives to Five Years Meeting		200.00	360.00
Field Secretary			
Salary		4,050.00	4,050.00
Travel		1,800.00	1,667.18
Retirement Plan		375.00	375.00
Office Expense			
Salary	1200.00		
Rent	250.00		
Incidentals	816.48		
New equipment	35.60	2,300.00	2,302.08
Expenses of Yearly Meeting Treasurer		400.00	330.99
Printing & Distribution of Yearly Meeting Minutes		850.00	838.00
Expenses of Yearly Meeting Sessions (Including entertainment of visiting Friends)			
Printing	127.00		
Yearly Meeting share of Pembroke College bill (including hospitality to visiting Friends)	209.00		
Miscellaneous	20.80		
Clerk	75.00		
		750.00	431.80
Friends General Conference		150.00	150.00
Friends Council on Education		100.00	100.00
TOTAL BUDGET CHARGES		$24,685.00	$23,458.67

Miscellaneous Expenses

General Equalization Fund, Authorized payments		1357.05
Mosher Book and Tract Committee		
Friends Book Store	299.86	
Friends Book and Supply House	14.57	
FRIENDS JOURNAL	10.00	
QUAKER LIFE	33.00	
THE FRIEND	18.00	
Miles College	50.00	
Highgate Continuation School	100.00	
Postage, Telephone, & Supplies	48.44	573.87
Printing Discipline		57.85
Student Loan Committee		
New Loans	1600.00	
Postage	9.26	1,609.26

Meetings and Extension Committee		125.85
Wayside Pulpit Fund, Subscriptions		4.25
H. Camp Fund — St. Augustine College for Scholarship		160.79
George Sturge Fund		
Christiansburg Institute for Scholarship	450.00	
Meharry Medical College for Scholarship	600.00	
St. Augustine College for Scholarship	210.03	1,260.03
J. P. and J. A. Boyce Fund —		
St. Augustine College for Scholarship		129.18
Real Estate Fund:		
Legal Fees	37.65	
Transfer to Investment and Permanent Funds Committee	1049.95	1,087.60
S. B. Kirby Fund		25.00
Transit Accounts, forwarded gifts received as follows:		
Friends Committee on National Legislation	83.00	
Vaults and Records Committee	100.00	
Melcher Estate — Lincoln School	4,145.66	
Melcher Estate taxes, etc.	75.94	
Special Africa Appeal	450.50	
China Camp	225.00	5,080.10
Pembroke College (Rooms and Meals at Yearly Meeting)		4,036.00
TOTAL MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES		$15,506.83

Balance on hand, June 1, 1962	$24,696.38	
Budget receipts	24,299.60	
Miscellaneous receipts	16,152.52	$65,148.50
Budget Expenses	23,458.67	
Miscellaneous Expenses	15,506.83	38,965.50
		$26,183.00

On hand, May 31, 1963		
Yearly Meeting Budget Account	2906.08	
Meetings and Extension Committee	181.78	
Executive Council	230.89	
General Equalization Fund	1771.87	
Mosher Book and Tract Committee	373.20	
Student Loan Committee	10,520.58	
Wayside Pulpit Fund	6.00	
S. B. Kirby Fund	321.09	
J. P. and J. A. Boyce Fund	18.62	
H. Camp Fund	16.53	
B. F. Knowles Fund	6,756.81	
George Sturge Fund	461.94	
Printing Discipline Fund	670.99	
Anna Brown Fund	1916.14	
Field Secretary Retirement Fund	220.00	
Income Taxes Withheld	36.80	26,409.32

Less Adverse Balances		
"The Standard of the Lord Lifted Up"	176.32	
Petty Cash	50.00	226.32
		$26,183.00
Industrial National Bank of Providence, Checking Account		12,650.50
5 Prepaid shares Cumberland Savings & Loan Association, Portland, Maine (Student Loan)		1,000.00
Roger Williams Savings and Loan Association, Providence, Savings Account (Student Loan)		8,711.70
Roger Williams Savings and Loan Association, Providence, Savings Account (B. F. Knowles Fund)		3,820.80
		$26,183.00

FUNDS HELD BY NEW ENGLAND YEARLY MEETING AS TRUSTEE FOR RHODE ISLAND MONTHLY MEETING OF FRIENDS

Balance June 1, 1962		14,610.83
Receipts:		
Dividends: Newport National Bank	176.25	
Industrial National Bank	462.00	
Savings Bank Interest	490.20	1,128.45
TOTAL RECEIPTS		15,739.28
Expenditures:		
Insurance Premiums	136.33	136.33
Balance May 31, 1963		$15,602.95
The Savings Bank of Newport (7 accounts)	10,994.15	
Rhode Island Hospital Trust Co. (Savings account)	282.37	
Industrial National Bank (Savings account)	1,870.19	
Industrial National Bank (Checking account)	2,456.24	$15,602.95
Securities held:		
231 shares Industrial National Bank		
75 shares Newport National Bank		

F. WARREN HOWE, JR., Treasurer

17. Gratitude for the careful work of F. Warren Howe, Jr. as our Treasurer was expressed. He has carried his work faithfully and notes with pleasure that the Budget has been met for this year.

18. The Meeting appointed John S. Taylor Treasurer for one year or until his successor is appointed.

19. John S. Taylor, our new Treasurer, was introduced and we look forward to further acquaintance with him with pleasure and confidence.

20. Louis J. Marstaller, our Field Secretary, gave his report. He points out the necessity for us to be ready to put very seri-

ous consideration on our committee work. He challenges us anew to accept these responsibilities and carry them not as heavy duties but as our way of carrying our part of God's work in the world.

REPORT OF THE FIELD SECRETARY

Visitation and travel are characteristics that have been with Friends since our beginnings. Much of it has been under a concern to share religious experiences; to give special emphasis to Christian teaching; to aid and help in some special need; to promote one or more of our testimonies; organization, or other special purpose. In my travels of about 19,000 miles this last year I have been active at times in all these categories.

One of the most significant activities that is taking place at present is the rewriting of our book of Faith and Practice. Those of us who have worked with the committee and have studied the proposals are learning a great deal about past and present ideas of Friends. Our unity is Faith in God and His continuing revelation to us and our efforts to practice the teachings of Jesus. Our differences of approach, understanding of words, and practice should not divide us if our spirit of love is practiced. I trust our end product will be a more useful guide to all when the project is completed.

The trying of some new organizational patterns in our Yearly Meeting has been a learning process for many of us. I trust that we will develop patterns that are useful and as efficient as possible. Organization is a good servant but a poor master. I am disappointed many times at the poor attendance and participation in many committee meetings. This ought to be one challenge as we try to evaluate our organizational pattern.

Through the Meetings and Extension Committee and in some other ways we are making limited attempts to meet the need of sharing our faith with a moving, expanding population. This to me is our greatest work and needs much more attention.

My prayer for all of us is for vision and strength to do God's will today.

LOUIS MARSTALLER, Field Secretary

21. The Yearly Meeting appoints Louis J. Marstaller to continue his work as Field Secretary. Appreciation of him was expressed in this meeting and in the report of the Executive Council.

22. It was recommended and approved that the present Yearly Meeting Office and personnel remain as at present for another year. Appreciation for the careful work of Clarabel Marstaller was expressed and warmly approved by many persons.

REPORT OF THE YEARLY MEETING OFFICE

The Yearly Meeting Office has compiled reports of various kinds from monthly and quarterly meetings, sent committee notices, minutes of some of the committees, edited and published four editions of

THE NEW ENGLAND FRIEND, tried to keep the mailing list up to date, and handled a number of other details. The acquisition of a "Scope" allows greater variety in mimeographing...drawing, tracing, lettering, etc.

A number of people from various Meetings have helped with the bulk mailings and these mimeographed reports and this help is certainly appreciated.

CLARABEL MARSTALLER, Office Secretary

23. Reports from the Nominating Committee include the nominations for the Executive Council, China Camp Committee, Christian Education Committee, Equalization Fund Committee, Friends General Conference Committee, Mosher Book and Tract Committee; and the naming of Representatives to Friends Council on Education, Friends World Committee, Quaker Men, the Board of Directors of the Massachusetts Council of Churches; members of the Social Concerns Committee, Student Loan Committee, Vaults and Records Committee, Education Department, Finance Department, Peace and Social Concern Department. Replacements and members for the Permanent Board, the Correspondence Committee, Investments and Permanent Funds Committee, Peace Committee, Representatives to the American Friends Service Committee, to the Friends Committee on National Legislation, members of the Outreach Department were named. These names are approved.

24. Annice Carter of Western Yearly Meeting, Mildred Henry from Wilmington Yearly Meeting, and Marjorie Wilson, director of the Clothing Room at Cambridge, were introduced and welcomed.

25. In the absence of Russell Brooks, Thomas R. Bodine reported for the committee appointed by the Permanent Board to explore the possibility of the Yearly Meeting hiring a youth worker. The committee outlined the following functions for such a worker:

I. **Helping Young Friends at Yearly Meeting**
  a. Understanding of what motivates Young Friends to come to Yearly Meeting.
  b. Help Young Friends to understand the rules to be followed at Yearly Meeting.
  c. Not necessarily to be the leader of Young Friends at Yearly Meeting, but to be sure leadership is found.
  d. Helping the new clerk of Young Friends know what he is supposed to do.
  e. Passing along word about useful Young Friends who might be appointed to Yearly Meeting Committees.

II. **Helping local Meetings establish Young Friends groups**
  a. Find and train local leaders.

b. Include small Meetings with only one or two Young Friends.

c. Present Friends' concerns and programs to Quarterly Meeting Young Friends groups.

d. Assist Young Friends groups to report their activities to other groups, pleasing both the reporters and those reported to.

III. Find, create, promote, and circulate Young Friends literature.

IV. Work with Sunday School teachers on materials and techniques, including visitations to Sunday School classes and committees.

V. Responsibility for China Camp, recruiting staff and campers.

VI. Coordination with American Friends Service Committee high school and college institutes and work camps.

The committee feels these functions require a full-time person with a possible budget as follows:

Salary Range	$5000 to $6500
Retirement	300
Travel	2000
Materials, correspondence, other expenses	500
	$7800 to $9300

Several Yearly Meeting committees have already expressed their endorsement of this plan. The Yearly Meeting expresses approval of this plan and will take steps to carry this forward counting on support from the General Budget and individual contributions.

26. Gregory Harrison opened the report of the Outreach Department by introducing Dorothy J. Averill who presented a concern from the Women's Missionary Society for the Continuation School in Jamaica.

Willard Ware spoke for the Five Years Meeting and the Missionary Committee of the Yearly Meeting. George Minott from Jamaica gave an excellent report of work there. He expressed appreciation of what has been done and pointed out the needs that will be on-going.

Willard Ware outlined the situation in Kenya, Africa and gave a report of the progress of the plan to turn the property over to the East Africa Yearly Meeting. At the present time these legal steps are complicated and an interim committee is managing the property. Until actual independence is granted this seems a wise step. There is increasing responsibility being taken by Africans in management fields.

Along with this new responsibility there has been an increasing awareness by Africans of the needs of other Africans.

As they take up this form of service among their own tribes they are experiencing the joy of sharing. We benefit vicariously from many New England Friends who are already in Africa and knowing Friends who are about to go. East Africa Yearly Meeting is taking responsibility as an equal member of the Five Years Meeting with other Yearly Meetings.

David O. Stanfield points out our own opportunity to take part in the activities of Five Years Meeting through financial support and stewardship of our resources. This must be done in loving concern by each of us according to his own ability.

The coming sessions of the Five Years Meeting to be held, after three years, are meeting at Earlham College this summer. The support of New England Friends is appreciated but the program of the Five Years Meeting is expanding at an even greater rate. Our help is needed, both in financial areas and in sharing the leadership that has grown up among us.

27. Everett Adagala from East Africa Yearly Meeting was welcomed. He has been a student at Moses Brown School and this fall will enter Earlham College.

28. The names for the following Committees were brought forward by the Nominating Committee and approved by the Yearly Meeting: Auditors of the Permanent Funds, Discipline Revision Committee, Five Years Meeting Board on Christian Education and Board on Training for Christian Vocations, Missionary Committee, Moses Brown School and Lincoln School Committee, New England Friends Home Committee, Representative on State Board of United Church Women of Massachusetts, Meetings and Extension Committee.

29. Harold W. Myers opened the discussion for the Meetings and Extension Committee. Herbert Kimball outlined some of the details of the way in which this work was carried out. Intervisitation within Quarterly Meetings, symposiums, and workshops were arranged. There has been some care of non-resident Friends and an attempt to connect them with a Meeting. Levinus K. Painter travelled on behalf of this Committee in visiting New England Meetings. The needs apparent to these Friends are many but the preparation of pastors and training of persons to do missionary work is very important.

Jane Cook spoke to the need of Friends to be as sensitive to visitors in the Meeting as we would be to visitors in our own homes.

Ruth Hoge looks to the future of this Committee as being a kind of Clearing House to list the needs of Meetings and the help that can be made available.

REPORT OF THE MEETINGS AND EXTENSION COMMITTEE

The ambitious program of outreach formulated when our committee came into existence some fifteen months ago has naturally fallen far short of what was hoped. Our frontier was extensive, and the greater the progress the larger it becomes. Extension is at the mercy of intention; outreach soon becomes inreach. The more extensive it becomes, the more it must extend itself both inwardly and outwardly. Blessed are those that engage in it.

Specific Recommendations

1. Make provision for a more systematic intervisitation.
2. Solicit names of Friends willing to visit meetings, particularly on First Day mornings.
3. Arrange for small groups to visit established and appointed meetings in various places. To have at least two sessions, one a meeting for worship, and the other a discussion on a topic arranged in advance.
4. Provide secretarial service at Beacon Hill Friends House possibly to act as a clearing house for such endeavor.
5. Friends should be asked to visit certain meetings on a particular day.
6. Solicit local meetings and individuals to provide personnel and expense money, if necessary, to carry out the plan.
7. To more effectively use Woolman Hill and Beacon Hill Friends House as recruiting and training centers in this work of intervisitation, and for the various needs in the New England area.
8. Seminars should be planned to meet specific problems:
   a. Outreach b. Christian Education c. Youth Work
   d. Deepening the Spiritual Life of the Meeting.
9. To make provision for spiritual leaders to visit our area from outside the Yearly Meeting.
10. Provide a more effective follow-up among non-resident members.
11. Solve in some measure the entanglements of a growing heirarchy evident in our organizational set-up.

30. Samuel B. Burgess reported for the work of the Meeting on Ministry and Counsel.

REPORT OF THE NEW ENGLAND YEARLY MEETING ON MINISTRY AND COUNSEL

Ministry and Counsel of New England Yearly Meeting met in interim session on committee day in Cambridge. At that session, it was approved that we cooperate with the Meetings and Extension Committee in sponsoring a seminar on the Functions of Ministry and Counsel at Woolman Hill. This seminar was conducted on April 26, 27, and 28. About thirty Friends were in attendance at the sessions and the seminar was a source of inspiration, information, and guidance for all.

The Ministry and Counsel of New England Yearly Meeting gathered for its annual session at Providence, Rhode Island at 2 p.m. on

June 18, 1963. After a few moments of worship, Samuel Burgess, Clerk, read the names of representatives appointed by the various quarterly meetings. About eighty Friends attended the meeting.

A concern from Rhode Island Quarterly Meeting was read, as follows: "We are often at a loss in getting our representatives appointed because of the rotation system of service for members of Ministry and Counsel in some of our monthly meetings. It is agreed that we ask the Yearly Meeting for Ministry and Counsel to give this matter some consideration. We feel that rotation in Monthly Meetings has much merit but it does make for some confusion in Quarterly and Yearly Meeting sessions especially since these are open to all members." The Meeting approved that representatives might be chosen from present and former members of Ministry and Counsel, if the Quarterly Meeting so wished.

Paul Lacey, of Indiana Yearly Meeting, then spoke to the subject, "Membership in the Society of Friends." Samuel Burgess, in introducing the speaker, pointed out that it is ultimately the committees on Ministry and Counsel of the monthly meetings which have the responsibility for determining the membership and hence the ever-changing character of the Society of Friends. Paul Lacey, in his presentation, made a searching study of the problems faced by those committees. There followed a fruitful period of discussion from those attending, regarding the need for careful and thoughtful consideration of both acceptance of applicants for membership, and discontinuance. Opinions ranged from an expression that all that should be required is a sincere desire to become a member, to a feeling that we should require substantial agreement with all the major testimonies and the acceptance of fairly rigid theological concepts.

The Clerk asked for expression of concerns from the floor, but none was forthcoming. The report of the Nominating Committee was read by Marian Cartland. Samuel Burgess was nominated to serve again as clerk, and Herbert Kimball as recording clerk. The Nominating Committee presented the names of Dorothy Averill, Helen Burgess, and Peter Jonitis for the Worship Committee. Peter Jonitis declined the appointment from the floor and the Nominating Committee was asked to find another name, to be acted upon by the Interim Committee. The Meeting approved the other names.

The Meeting adjourned at 3:30 p.m., to meet as permitted in full session in 1964.

The following action by Salem Quarterly Meeting was reported:

"The Meeting on Ministry and Counsel of Salem Quarterly Meeting recommended to the Salem Quarterly Meeting, at its meeting in Fifth Month 18, 1963, that James J. Toothaker be recorded as a Friends minister. The Meeting approved the recommendation, and thereby recorded James J. Toothaker as a Friends minister."

SAMUEL B. BURGESS, Clerk
HERBERT KIMBALL, Recording Clerk

31. The reports of Spiritual Condition follow.

DOVER QUARTERLY MEETING

Spiritual Condition Reports from the four small meetings which make up Dover Quarterly Meeting indicate that a loyal group of Friends in each meeting carries on the work and discharges the responsibilities of membership. Dover Friends write: "Friends gather every First Day morning for worship, either in the Meeting House, or during the cold winter months, at some Friend's home. The meetings are well attended considering the size of our membership. Friends take part in them, and at times we have silent worship alone, but the spirit is good at all times."

Gonic Friends write: "Business meetings are held regularly, and all families share in them. To make our meetings a way of worship for a greater number and especially to interest young people is always unfinished business."

From Concord and Weare we receive the following: "In the area of ministry and counseling our membership, we feel the weight of duty but do not see the clear light of proper methods to increase and strengthen such responsibilities of a religious society. This is a growing concern of our meeting, and we hope to find some answers in our continuing search for guidance. Mindful of our weaknesses we continue to try to provide a meaningful fellowship of Christian seekers for all who wish to join."

FALMOUTH QUARTERLY MEETING

A penetrating analysis of a Meeting reveals certain strengths, or potential strengths, which are a source of joy and comfort. Weaknesses are also evident, giving cause for concern. Throughout the Falmouth Quarter this inward probing indicates spiritual uplift in varying degrees. Some of it may indicate a deepening of spiritual perception; some of it may be a busyness in projects with no firm vision. We might well ask ourselves, "Is our activity a treadmill of schedules and programs, or do we rather seek expression for growing concerns and dedication?"

Sandwich, a summer Meeting, reports a feeling of oneness in worship. Falmouth Monthly Meeting finds the heart of its spiritual growth in its Sunday School. This Meeting finds a growing interest in interracial participation and an involvement in the foster-parent plan for underprivileged children in various cultures. It contributes to Friends' and interfaith organizations of various kinds. Durham not only seeks a greater sense of understanding and unity within the Meeting through prayer, work and study, but also reaches out toward interracial understanding and pacifist involvements and a tender regard for the Maine Quaker youth in two Quarterly Meetings. Parsonsfield evidences little organized activity but reports a waiting for God's will to be done. Forest Avenue experiences fluctuations from a surge of unity and closeness with God to a sense of despair. Its use of Quaker Dialogues and its study group have stimulated interest in communication, outreach and patience. It places an increasing emphasis on Young Friends activities. Windham emphasizes a missionary spirit. Its Ministry and Counsel has been reactivated, after a lapse of many years, to help improve the Meeting's spiritual condition and to stimulate growth in unity of spirit.

NORTHWEST QUARTERLY MEETING

The Meetings of the Quarter have continued to experience spiritual growth and are grateful for the opportunity to worship quietly in the manner of Friends. The Meeting life is a real source of stability and fosters our devotional spirit, vocal ministry being thoughtful and sometimes profound.

Discussions of the proposed revised Queries have stimulated exchange of views and deeper understanding of Friends and of individual convictions throughout our Meetings.

Hanover's First Day School has grown rapidly, including non-Friends among its members and enriching the first fifteen minutes of Meeting for Worship, but also accenting the need for more adequate quarters. Both Hanover and Bennington have experienced difficulty in reaching those of college age, but Hanover has made contact with a group at Colby Junior College with whom a monthly joint meeting is planned, while a few college students attend Burlington Meeting, where a growing concern for the young is felt. Many attending Burlington's bimonthly Bible study have been quickened.

Our Meetings have made known to their communities the position of Friends on peace, through sponsorship of or participation in meetings and organizational activities outside the Meeting. Burlington and Hanover Meetings have also been active in presenting to legislators in their respective states the Quaker position on capital punishment. Bennington Meeting sponsored four public meetings at which Gurdial Mallik, visiting Indian Quaker, spoke on the religions of India.

In becoming a Monthly Meeting, Bennington has felt spiritually strengthened by new responsibilities and associations. Together with Burlington, it has been concerned that its Meeting for Business, suffering from the pressures of time, lacks calm deliberation and dependence upon the spirit, and is laboring for improvement.

RHODE ISLAND QUARTERLY MEETING

It is with humility that we seek to measure the spiritual fullness, as well as the weaknesses of our Meetings, aware that we approach the boundless nature of God with limited standards of understanding. We search for outward evidence of our corporate spiritual condition. There seems to be spiritual unity among our members. For those of us who feel "at home" in the meetings it has been easy and natural to commend our First Day morning speakers for their helpful messages. The vocal ministry often expresses a deep search for unity and tenderness for others. We are grateful for the frequent attendance of non-members who, both by ministry, and in the silence, share with us our periods of worship. Our worship experience has at times provided depths of feeling that we cannot express in words. Providence Friends are challenged by the presence of students from Moses Brown, Lincoln, and other local schools and colleges who attend meeting and hope they are finding spiritual nurture with us.

The spiritual vigor of individual members of our Meetings is reflected in their interest and concerns both within and without the Society of Friends. Intervisitation at other Friends Meetings, service on the Yearly Meeting committees and as officers, work with the American Friends Service Committee and the Friends Committee on National Legislation, Council of Churches groups and work for equal opportunities in housing and for minority rights have received our efforts and support. Two members of the medical profession have served overseas recently and a member has gone to Taris, Turkey to establish and set up a library there.

SALEM QUARTERLY MEETING

While few in number, the Friends of the Amesbury Meeting are carrying on the work of Friends. There is much effort in the field of

Social Concerns with local sympathetic groups, and the Meeting House is made available for meetings toward this end. The missionary interest of the Meeting is far reaching, encompassing the Friends Indian Mission in Oklahoma, a family in Kenya, and other hospitals, schools or missions supported by Friends. It is the hope of the Amesbury Meeting to hold their ground and attract new families from outlying areas to the place where Whittier once worshipped.

The Meeting in Cambridge continues growth in many respects. Its activities toward accomplished goals have helped achieve a oneness in spirit. Its diversified membership of seasoned Friends and earnest youth meet for worship to seek a satisfaction for their spiritual needs. Members are mindful of their obligation to restore to the well of spiritual waters what they have taken from it. With an ever widening outreach, a guiding hand to preparatory meetings, and a loving concern for its members, the Cambridge Meeting is graced with a spiritual strength.

The members of Lawrence Meeting continue to foster spiritual growth by striving to reach a level "not of the world about us." The watchfulness of Ministry and Counsel finds Lawrence Meeting, with its concern for peace, activity in missionary work, and stress of the First Day School, in good spiritual condition.

Friends at Lynn Meeting feel that their spiritual condition is measured by their relationship to God and fellow man, as evidenced in their worship and way of life. Lynn Meeting is sensitive to rich gifts and deep enjoyment of growth in each of these areas. Lynn Friends feel the need for growth in drawing in new members, encouraging and sustaining their youth, and deepening the individual's spiritual life. In the unifying presence of the Holy Spirit, Friends endeavor to share concerns in the experience that enlightens all life — the experience of the Living Christ.

The Meeting at Wellesley, yet growing in number, is also experiencing a spiritual growth. The challenge of religious education has been a rewarding experience. The needs of many children of all ages have been met by an able and willing group of parents within the Meeting. Meeting activities are many and varied, owing to the diversified interest and concerns of the membership. Wellesley Friends are concerned that the strength which is manifest in Meetings for Worship is reflected elsewhere in their lives. While striving to be patient and considerate of others' attitudes, values and beliefs, a conscious effort is made to preserve the dynamic quality of individual ideas.

Salem Quarterly Meeting has had a slight over-all growth in membership during the year. In spite of spiritual growth and interest in furthering Friends' principles one meeting has suffered losses in numbers. The large Cambridge Meeting, although divided into six distinct worship groups, finds that a careful watch must be maintained lest size and the large number of visitors tend to make the First Day Meetings in Longfellow Park less "centered down" than would be desired.

SANDWICH QUARTERLY MEETING

The reports received from the Meetings within Sandwich Quarterly Meeting show that all are holding their meetings for worship regularly with an opportunity for both vocal and silent ministry. All are continuing to serve in the Spirit of Friends and are seeking ways to extend their influence into their various communities. All are endeavoring to carry out the teachings of Christ in the Meeting and are searching prayerfully to find within the Society of Friends the answer to the pressing problems of the day in the area of Peace and Social concerns. ("How must Friends react to the crises of the day? How shall they express and impress their feelings in an atomic age?")

All meetings are duly concerned with these problems and all are striving to act in the true Christian way in accordance with Friends' principles.

May God be with these Meetings everywhere, small though they may be for has it not been said

> "Where two or three are gathered together in My name
> Lo I am in their midst."

SMITHFIELD QUARTERLY MEETING

Although we judge our spiritual condition to be good, we feel that at times we tend to emphasize outer works more than an inward commitment to God. Meetings for worship are fairly well attended but, even knowing we are persons chosen by God, our partial commitment limits our witness to the world of which we are a part, and also retards the vocal expression of our inward experiences.

We rejoice, however, in the evidence within our Meetings of the deep and abiding sense of love and compassion for one another; in the character, visible moral worth and the friendly self-sacrifice of our members in the usual walks of life.

Our spiritual condition was struck a terrible blow by the Connecticut Valley Quarterly Meeting when they completely ignored our love and concern for the other Worcester Friends. Our prayers and efforts for reconciliation, however insufficient, have been suddenly nullified and we feel their action has cut deeper the wound which was finally beginning to heal.

We know pain, suffering and tragedy; we are tempted; we stand in need of forgiveness. We are attuned to our spiritual failures because our purpose is high. We seek to "do good to all men, especially those of the household of faith."

VASSALBORO QUARTERLY MEETING

Caution is urged that we seriously consider the deeper sources of religious activity and worship. Care must be taken not to be too distracted by the material aspects of this modern world.

There has been intervisitation among members and some have sent messages by mail to non-members in the community. Vacation Bible Schools were held in several of the meetings. A number of members including Young Friends have attended Yearly Meeting and been active on various Yearly Meeting committees.

Older members on whom we often depended as a source of spiritual sensitivity and inspiration are greatly missed when they are no longer with us. Several visitors have been most helpful and beneficial. There is a deep concern that we should be bearing our witness with a greater and stronger zeal.

31. Thomas Bassett reports that a new meeting for worship at Putney, Vermont has been formed.

Canadian Yearly Meeting in its recent session recorded an Allowed Meeting at Halifax, Nova Scotia. This information might be of interest to travelling Friends.

32. Thomas R. Bodine gave a description of the organizational pattern under which we are working for the first time this year. The four departments give new emphasis to some questions. It is too early to assess the full value of this plan but it is hoped that we will continue to work under this pattern at least another year.

33. Thyra Jane Foster, Chairman of the Vaults and Records Committee, spoke of the possibility of having early records of the New England Yearly Meeting which met at Westerly 1845-1945 microfilmed. These records have recently been at Haverford College where this work could be done.

During the renovation of the Main Building at Moses Brown School, it would be possible to deposit our records in the John Carter Brown Library where they would be catalogued under the care of that Library. The Yearly Meeting approves this action.

The John Carter Brown Library would accept the personal library of Moses Brown which is now in the Library at the School. This would provide much more adequate care for these rare books. The Yearly Meeting accepts this report but will wait for the further approval of the School Committee before action is taken.

REPORT OF THE VAULTS AND RECORDS COMMITTEE

The Vaults and Records Committee has held two meetings this year. The Committee's policy has been to make our records available under supervision for genealogical work at the rate of $2.50 per hour, and to Friends and competent scholars, free of charge. In the case of the latter, copies of the results of their research when finished are requested.

Progress has been made on the catalogueing of the well labeled, but otherwise unrecorded material in the Vault that has been accumulating for a number of years. More than three hundred cards have already been added to the card catalogue and all new material has been entered in an Accession Book. Kind donors continue to give us new material. This work has been done by volunteer help. Our Custodian, Helen Paxton, has helpfully taken care of most inquiries and researchers. It is necessary to make an appointment ahead of time if you wish to use the Vault, as her time in the School Library is closely scheduled. Inquiries may also be addressed to the Vault Committee chairman.

34. The name of the Vaults and Records Committee is changed to the Archives and Historical Records Committee.

35. Morris Kirk and Marie Kirk from Ohio Yearly Meeting, Barnesville, are with us and are welcomed at this time.

36. The Executive Council recommends that the Yearly Meeting meet at Pembroke College June 16-21, 1964. It is approved. Edward A. White will be Chairman of the Arrangements Committee.

37. George Selleck continued the discussion of the proposed changes in the Discipline. We have tried in these sessions to keep words from being divisive and yet to make frank expression of the feelings that are aroused as we read these proposed paragraphs. The Committee will go on with their work anticipating the continuing help of all Friends who wish to speak individually with their members.

On the recommendation of the Permanent Board, the Yearly Meeting approved the section of the new Discipline regarding the amending procedure. This makes final the action started in Minute 43 of the 1962 sessions. The new procedure for amending the Discipline is as follows:

> "Proposals for change of this Discipline may originate in the Monthly Meeting and, if so, they should receive the approval of the Quarterly Meeting and then be transmitted to the Yearly Meeting for final action; or they may originate in the Yearly Meeting itself. In either case, final action will not be taken until the Yearly Meeting sessions of the year following the publication of the proposed changes in the minutes of the Yearly Meeting."

38. J. Franklin Pineo presented the report of the Auditors of the Permanent Funds. It is accepted.

REPORT OF THE AUDITORS OF THE PERMANENT FUNDS — June 18, 1963

The financial report of the Board of Managers of Investments and Permanent Funds for the calendar year, 1962 has been audited as customary by Christiansen and Co., Certified Public Acccuntants.

We have reviewed the financial report and the audit and submit them as presented, together with the following summary of Funds under their care.

	Market Value of Fund 12/31/62	Cost of Securities held	Income earned in 1962	% yield on cost value
Moses Brown Pooled	$ 718,353.71	$ 569,498.32	$ 32,691.62	.0574
Moses Brown Special	307,605.46	260,208.78	14,068.12	.0540
Lincoln School	326,193.99	285,222.19	13,524.02	.0474
Yearly Meeting Pooled	149,207.98	119,356.14	5,930.07	.0490
Yearly Meeting Special	48,739.70	37,459.58	1,889.68	.0504
N. E. Friends Home	115,764.14	115,168.15	4,616.63	.0400
	$1,665,864.98	$1,386,913.16	$ 72,720.14	

The most significant change we noted in the investments was the reduction in the Moses Brown Pooled Fund of $197,888.00 due to the transfer of that amount to the School for its new building program.

The average yield of over 5% on the combined total of all funds indicates the careful supervision given by the Board to the investments to secure the maximum income consistent with conservative investment policies.

It will be noted that the market value of all securities at December 31, 1962 was approximately $27,500 more than the cost value of the list.

GRACE P. ATKINS, J. FRANKLIN PINEO, R. S. DOUGLAS

39. Meta Ruth Ferguson from Western Yearly Meeting, representing the Board on Christian Education of the Five Years Meeting; Adelbert Mason, Rachel Letchworth, and Henry Scattergood from Philadelphia Yearly Meeting were welcomed to our sessions.

40. The Meetings and Extension Committee was given the permission of this Meeting to ask for additional members. Their hope is to serve large meetings more fully.

41. The Report of the Education Department was opened by George I. Bliss. Alexander C. Purdy representing the faculty of the Earlham School of Religion described this new school. This is a graduate school that has the possibility of becoming a growing edge for the Society of Friends through leadership and study. Although it is for pastors, it can serve people who are entering some related fields of leadership and it is not exclusively for members of the Society of Friends.

Willard H. Ware called on Robert Cunningham, Headmaster of Moses Brown School. Some of the new areas in the building program will provide new experiences in planning and deepening personal relationships there.

Mary L. Schaffner was with us and gave us some additional information about Lincoln School. Special interest was felt in the group of twenty-four Lincoln girls who, on this date, are in Europe on a singing tour and expect to be shown around in Berlin by our member Paul Cates who is studying there. Eve Roberts is in this group and carries a Minute from her Monthly Meeting.

Willard Ware outlined some of the history of Moses Brown School and parallel circumstances faced by the Committee today. The Yearly Meeting, in action taken two years ago, freed some funds to build a classroom building and work is going forward. There are pledges and gifts to complete the anticipated program. It may be necessary to borrow money to carry on the work before all the pledges are collected. The Yearly Meeting has authorized this action.

Eva Pratt Owen spoke for the Oak Grove School. She told of building plans that have been carried out at Oak Grove. There are new and interesting projects opening for students to visit abroad, arising out of contacts with foreign teachers who have been at Oak Grove.

Florence Selleck spoke briefly about the plans for The Cambridge Friends School, a co-educational elementary school.

It has had a successful campaign for raising money for a building. This is anticipated for the fall of 1964. The School is very much concerned about fostering and emphasizing inner discipline in its pupils and faculty. This project has been very meaningful for the Cambridge Meeting.

George I. Bliss reported for the Meeting School in Rindge, New Hampshire. There have been forty students, twenty Friends and twenty non-Friends, and more than half of the faculty are Friends. There are many interesting challenges in the program of this School which has been in operation six years.

The Education Worship-Workshop has been considering a concern, forwarded by Samuel B. Burgess. He sees a field of service to public schools. He asks for permission to explore the opportunity for work in this area. The Yearly Meeting encourages him to go forward under the Department of Education.

Miriam E. Jones presented the report of the Friends Council on Education. New opportunities are opening before this group of Friends' Schools as they expand their work through a newly appointed person, who will try to move among schools widely scattered in the whole United States to help in making Friends Schools more Friendly in their approach and outreach.

REPORT OF THE MOSES BROWN SCHOOL AND LINCOLN SCHOOL COMMITTEE

The regular scheduled work of the Schools this past year has been overshadowed, to a certain extent, by the excitement and bustle of the financial campaign, and the construction of the new Upper School building for Moses Brown. In June, 1962, ground-breaking ceremonies were held for this building. In June, 1963, the contractor will hand over to the Building Committee the completed building. It is a beautiful building and one designed particularly to present the curriculum of the Upper School in a related and coordinated way, to counter the usual tendency toward fragmentation of learning and knowledge. Unusual facilities are provided, too, for encouragement of more independent study among the older boys. It is a much larger and more expensive building than was first contemplated by the Long Range Planning Committee, but continuing study of the building program for the School convinced the Board of Trustees and the School Committee of the wisdom of including all facilities for teaching in the Upper School in one outstanding, imaginatively conceived building.

Yearly Meeting members are invited and encouraged to visit the Schools during sessions this year, to see what has been accomplished, and to get a better idea of the future needs of the Schools. Moses Brown has been in the limelight this past year, and with the Field House scheduled to be started in June and ready for use by January, 1964, it will command a lot of attention in the months ahead. But the Planning Committee for Lincoln School has been busy for several months, working on studies of the kind of school Lincoln is to be in the future, and the additional facilities in the way of land, buildings, finances, and faculty that will be needed. Such long range studies are essential to the careful, thoughtful development of any project, and are particularly important in the life of the schools under the care of the School Committee.

During the past three years, sympathetic, dedicated, and able leadership has been given to the Moses Brown School Board of Trustees by Chester Cobb. He has worked hard and long to promote the interests of the School in the Providence community, and to understand and support the interests of Friends. The School Committee wishes to express its gratitude to Chester Cobb for his very real contributions to the performance of the Board of Trustees. Edwin Krause, a co-chairman of the Program for Progress, replaces Chester Cobb as President of the Board.

The Boards of Trustees of both schools have worked closely and cooperatively with the School Commmittee. Since the majority of each Board is made up of Friends, this may not be surprising. But it is both encouraging and challenging that members of the Boards who are not Friends have so readily accepted many of the concerns of Friends, and along with parents of students in the Schools, have urged Friends to exert more influence, and promote more earnestly Friends' principles and teachings.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR MOSES BROWN SCHOOL

Balance Sheet — 6 mo. 30, 1962

ASSETS

Current:		
Cash	$ 6,086.15	
Accounts Receivable (Less Reserve for Doubtful Accounts)	31,058.46	
Inventories	8,431.22	
Loan Receivable	1,000.00	$ 46,575.83
Fixed Assets:		
Real Estate and Buildings	455,493.97	
Furnishings and Equipment	27,865.02	
Lloyd Avenue Dwelling	31,411.93	
Olney Street Dwelling	130,938.48	
Athletic Field	39,141.19	684,850.59
Prepaid Expenses and Advances:		
Expense	6,070.80	
Sprinkler Costs	6,149.92	
Survey and Expenses	21,286.55	
Insurance	2,776.33	
Architects' Fees	158.75	36,442.35
		$767,868.77

LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL

Accounts Payable:		
Trade Creditors	$ 10,492.19	
Employees' Withholding Tax, F.I.C.A.		

T.I.A.A., and Blue Cross	7,668.29	
Accrued Payroll Tax and T.I.A.A.	2,945.24	
Loan Payable (Board of Managers)	15,000.00	$ 36,105.72
Other:		
Notes Payable — Rhode Island Hospital Trust Company	86,500.00	
Due Student Activities	1,516.49	
Special Funds	8,292.84	96,309.33
Deferred Income — Registration Fees		23,750.00
Reserve — Sabbatical Leave and Salary Increases		16,371.55
Investment and Surplus:		
Balance, 7 mo. 1, 1961	590,907.60	
Less: Athletic Association Write-off	2,151.16	
	588,756.44	
Plus: Increase from Statement of Income and Expense	6,575.73	595,332.17
		$767,868.77

Statement of Income and Expenditures

7 mo. 1, 1961 — 6 mo. 30, 1962

Income:	
Resident and Day Students (Net)	$515,588.13
Lunches	26,957.70
Midmorning Lunches	3,214.45
Laundry and Infirmary	3,388.00
Annual Giving	35,650.00
Fund Income:	
Scholarships	4,821.00
General	15,254.21
Books, Stationery, etc.	31,531.68
Miscellaneous:	
Registration Fees Retained	550.00
Interest — Treasury Bills	- 0 -
Application Fees	2,015.00
Tuition Refund Plan	3,903.14
Rent	2,040.00
Miscellaneous	661.88
	645,575.19
Expenditures:	
Administration	99,166.68
Instruction	321,074.07
Kitchen and Dining Room	82,976.93
Maintenance and Housekeeping	100,969.22
Incidental Charges to Students	30,812.56
Headmaster's Discretionary and Emergency Fund	4,000.00
	638,999.46
Profit for the Year	$ 6,575.73

The attached Balance Sheet as of June 30, 1962 and the related Statement of Income and Expenditures have been prepared from the books and records as maintained for Moses Brown School and are in exact agreement therewith. We did not make a detailed audit of the records, but limited our examination to a general review of cash transactions and accounting methods in use.

CHRISTIANSEN AND COMPANY, Certified Public Accountant

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR LINCOLN SCHOOL

Balance Sheet — June 30, 1962

ASSETS

Current Assets		
Cash — Checking Account	$ 17,811.66	
Cash — Savings Account	39,660.25	
Accounts Receivable	2,044.88	
Prepaid Insurance	7,204.42	
Total Current Assets		$ 66,721.21
Fixed Assets		
Gymnasium	106,223.01	
Hockey Field	54,502.30	
Mary Nichols Playhouse	34,245.61	
Main Building	275,589.02	
Dwight House	34,738.99	
New Lower School	229,900.85	
New Lower School Furniture	8,266.15	
New Science Wing	18,537.05	
New Library	11,270.12	
Furniture & Fixtures	38,523.46	
Arnold House	14,504.00	
Pension Fund, Original	50,911.95	
Total Fixed Assets		877,212.51
Total Assets		$943,933.72

LIABILITIES & CAPITAL

Current Liabilities		
Office Cash — Blue Cross	827.55	
Accounts Payable	395.73	
Notes Payable	4,700.00	
Res. for Repairs to Arnold House	872.30	
Res. for Withholding Taxes	482.56	
Res. for Social Security Taxes	143.33	
Gifts to School	143.86	
Books for Library — A. G.	13.03	
Prizes	247.05	
Lecture & Entertainment Fund	95.49	
Trustees Library Fund	89.52	
Chas. H. Smith Library	148.80	8,159.22
Reserves		
Res. for Bad Debts	5,000.00	
Res. for Payment of Notes	4,700.00	
Res. for Bldg. Renov. — Committed	15,000.00	
Res. for Bldg. Renov. — Prospective	10,296.56	
Res. for Additions to T.I.A.A. & Maj. Med.	5,000.00	39,996.56

Capital		
Investment & Surplus — Balance June 30, 1961	939,952.88	
Withdrawal from Pension Fund	3,850.00*	
Withdrawal from T.I.A.A. Pension Fund	52,771.10*	
Bad Debts Chgd. off to Loss	3,603.26*	
Withdrawn from Sav. a/c for Serton Lecture	100.00*	
Gain from Operation, 1961-62	2,348.57	
Capital Funds from Annual Giving	10,500.00	
Interest on Savings Accounts	313.54	
Interest on Pension Fund	2,987.31	895,777.94
		$943,933.72

*Red Figure

Statement of Income and Expenditures
July 1, 1961 to June 30, 1962

Total Income (See Schedule A)		$423,455.10
Expenditures:		
Administration (See Schedule B1)	$ 65,771.22	
Upper School (See Schedule B2)	132,785.36	
Lower School (See Schedule C1)	71,262.84	
Dormitory (See Schedule C2)	14,316.60	
Dining Room (See Schedule D1)	46,363.85	
Grounds (See Schedule D2)	3,193.46	
Heat & Light (See Schedule E1)	14,160.44	
Incidental Charges — Books etc. (See Schedule E2)	17,211.73	
Development Office	5,841.03	
Third Floor Renovations	10,500.00	
Reserve for Bad Debts	5,000.00	
Reserve for Reduction of Note	4,700.00	
Reserve for Additions to T.I.A.A. and Major Medical	5,000.00	
Total Expenditures		421,106.53
OPERATING GAIN June 30, 1962		2,348.57
		$423,455.10

I certify that I have examined the attached Balance Sheet, as of June 30, 1962, and above Statement of Income and Expenditures for the period from July 1, 1961 to June 30, 1962, and that I have compared the Assets and Liabilities balances and Income and Expenditures with the ledger accounts and have found them to be in exact agreement.

CARL W. CHRISTIANSEN, Certified Public Accountant

42. The Nominating Committee sent forward a name for the Christian Education Committee. It is approved.

43. The Providence Monthly Meeting, Rhode Island Quarterly Meeting, presented a travelling minute for Caleb A. Smith, Jeannette Smith, and Jessie and Jay, their children, who anticipate living in Kenya, East Africa and in their travels

will visit with many Meetings. Caleb Smith will be the principal of the Kaimosi Teacher Training College. The Yearly Meeting endorsed this minute.

44. The Representatives have sent forward a report of their Nominating Committee suggesting the names:

Presiding Clerk: Thomas R. Bodine
Recording Clerk: Miriam E. Jones
Reading Clerk: Gordon M. Browne, Jr.
Reading Clerk: J. Franklin Pineo

It is approved. These clerks are to take office at the close of this Yearly Meeting session and to serve through the sessions of the 1963 Yearly Meeting or until their successors are appointed.

45. Robert E. Owen, chairman of the Finance Department, presented the revised Budget for the Yearly Meeting activities for 1963-64. It is approved.

REPORT OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE NEW ENGLAND YEARLY MEETING OF FRIENDS

The recommendations of the Finance Committee are:

1. That the following budget for 1963-64 be adopted:

For activities of the Five Years Meeting	$ 6,000.00
For expenses of the Five Years Meeting	3,251.00
For Yearly Meeting Activities:	
Peace Committee	300.00
Social Concerns Committee	250.00
Christian Education Committee	400.00
Junior Yearly Meeting	250.00
Young Friends Yearly Meeting	325.00
Young Friends Committee	150.00
Meetings and Extension Committee	300.00
Executive Council	200.00
Missionary Committee	50.00
Archives and Historical Records Committee	100.00
New England Friends Home Committee	1,500.00
China Camp Committee	100.00
Five Years Meeting Committee	100.00
Friends Committee on National Legislation	200.00
Friends World Committee and Fellowship Council	350.00
Yearly Meeting Departments — $25 each	100.00
Travel expenses for representatives of Yearly Meeting to:	
Meetings of American Friends Service Committee, Friends World Committee and Fellowship Council, Friends Committee on National Legislation, Five Years Meeting Boards and Friends General Conference Committees	300.00
Travel to Five Years Meeting (held in reserve)	300.00
Field Secretary	
Salary	4,300.00
Retirement Fund	415.00
Travel Expenses	2,000.00

Yearly Meeting Office Expense	2,400.00
Expenses of the Yearly Meeting Treasurer	700.00
Expense of Printing the Yearly Meeting Minutes	850.00
Expenses of the Sessions of the Yearly Meeting	900.00
Friends General Conference	250.00
Friends Council on Education	100.00
Young Friends Worker	2,000.00
Contingencies	50.00
	$28,491.00

2. That the expenses of the Yearly Meeting be contributed to on a voluntary basis. Each Monthly Meeting should include in its budget for this purpose an amount equal to at least $10.00 per member. Each member should feel his responsibility for these expenses and contribute such sums as he is able to his own Monthly Meeting Treasurer.

3. That the Monthly Meetings be requested to send sums for the Budget to the Yearly Meeting Treasurer, monthly, the final payment to be made prior to Fifth Month 15, 1964.

4. That John S. Taylor be appointed Treasurer of the Yearly Meeting.

5. That J. Franklin Pineo, Russell S. Douglas, and George A. Cates, be appointed as auditors of the Yearly Meeting, any two of whom are authorized to audit the accounts of the Yearly Meeting Treasurer, the Young Friends Committee, the China Camp Committee, and the New England Friends Home Committee.

6. That of the funds contributed to the Yearly Meeting, the Treasurer be authorized to set aside approximately one third to be sent to the Five Years Meeting for our contribution to it, and the balance used proportionately for the Yearly Meeting expenses and activities. The Treasurer will, as always, use designated funds for the use specified.

7. That the Presiding Clerk of the Yearly Meeting and the Chairman of the Arrangements Committee, acting together, be authorized, in the exercise of their judgment, to approve the payment of charges for the entertainment of visiting Friends coming from a distance to attend sessions of the Yearly Meeting.

8. That the Five Years Meeting Committee, the Equalization Fund Committee, the China Camp Committee, and the Executive Council for a Youth Worker, be given permission to appeal directly to the members of the Yearly Meeting for funds, but that all other committees of the Yearly Meeting be requested not to do so without first obtaining permission from the Finance Committee.

46. David O. Stanfield, representing the Board on Stewardship and Finance of the Five Years Meeting, spoke of our need to give a positive response to the raising of funds to carry our concerns.

47. Further consideration of the appointment and financing of the Youth Worker will be under the Executive Council, with help from Young Friends.

48. Samuel Levering, North Carolina Yearly Meeting, was welcomed to our sessions.

49. George I. Bliss for the Department of Education called

our attention to the Report of the Student Loan Committee. We were informed that one loan outstanding over a period of years has been forgiven because of hardship caused by illness in the family.

Richard Gove spoke about the China Camp. Carleton and Saundra Cates, and George and Myrtle Minott will be in charge of the activities.

REPORT OF THE CHINA CAMP COMMITTEE

Our Camp directors in 1962 were Norman and Ann Morrison from Charlotte, North Carolina. William Olsen of South China, Maine, served as assistant director and waterfront supervisor. Throughout the entire six weeks session, there were forty paying campers, mostly from New England. However some came from as far away as Florida and Maryland. As the campers lived, worked, and worshipped together many deep friendships were apparently formed, and a real feeling of "Young Friends Solidarity" achieved. The older groups in particular seemed to appreciate their growing sense of purposeful identity as Young Friends one with another.

In the Senior session July 1-14 there were ten campers. A good deal of improvements were made during this session on the house and grounds. The fire circle was moved to the area behind the cabins — a new roof was put on the enclosed back porch of the meeting house. The lake front area was cleared. Two camp boats were put into service. The Wilsons of Jefferson, Maine donated one and Ralph Greene built one and brought it to Camp.

An excursion during the second week was to Mt. Katahdin. The last evening together was spent at Mary Hoxie Jones' residence nearby with a picnic supper and meeting for worship. This group used for the focal point of their discussions some great peacemakers and social reformers, such as Gandhi, Martin Luther King, etc. A few provocative discussions on issues such as pacifism, race relations and worship took place.

The Grade Schoolers: Nineteen Junior campers participated in this youngest session from July 15 to 28. George Alexander and Jerry Bliss from the senior session were retained as counselors, joined by two older Friends — Janeal Ravendal from The Meeting School and Judy Lepreau, a student at Earlham College. The Outing was to Reid State Park. The last afternoon of the Junior Camp was spent at the Cates' summer cottage on China Lake.

The outstanding material accomplishment of the summer was the construction and use of the new cabin, newly christened "Eagle." Frank Pineo made various extended visits while he put in long hours of work on the cabin. By the last week of Camp eight girls enthusiastically moved in.

Beside four large cabins for campers and counselors there is one for the directors and a 3-bed small cabin which can be used as an infirmary or for an occasional guest. Although five campers required medical attention during camp sessions, this cabin was never needed as an infirmary.

May we express our deep appreciation to all of our friends who have helped us in so many ways. And thanks to Norman and Ann Morrison for a very successful camp year.

FRIENDS CHINA CAMP OPERATING STATEMENT

Cash on Hand 1/1/1962		$ 120.86
Income		
Yearly Meeting Budget	$ 100.00	
Maine Young Friends	62.25	
Baptist Youth Camp	168.75	
Camp Fees	1,389.00	
Donations	761.00	
Miscellaneous	17.34	2,498.34
Total Income		$2,619.20
Expenses		
Supplies	120.96	
Building Supplies	285.79	
Food	453.15	
Salaries	735.00	
Car Expense	120.00	
Utilities	243.43	
Insurance	171.66	
Medical	20.00	
License	10.00	
Service charges — Bank	7.73	
Miscellaneous	3.15	
Postage	1.00	
Total Expense		2,171.87
Cash on Hand 2/1/1963		$ 447.33

George Cates, Treasurer

50. Henry Williams presented a proposed Epistle to carry our greetings to Friends everywhere. It is approved.

GENERAL EPISTLE OF NEW ENGLAND YEARLY MEETING

To Friends Everywhere:

Our worship and our work together have given us insights that illumine and disturb. Around us we see a world in dissension and disunity, where privilege and hate divide man from man. Our constant hope has been that we may be able to speak to this condition with a voice of peace, to lead ourselves and our fellowmen into the paths of forebearance and love.

We know now, that to change the world we must begin with ourselves. As each of us stands alone before God, so each of us must let his single light shine that all our lights together become a flaming beacon lighting the Way.

Our worship-workshop study has shown us, once again, that men can peaceably bring unity out of diversity by the loving regard for all sincere opinion. We are reminded that the Heavenly City "that lieth foursquare" is entered by many gates.

It is our prayer that from these faltering and all too human meetings we may gain strength to translate lovingkindness into action and so to speak to the condition of all men.

"Behold the tabernacle of God is with men, and He will dwell with them and they shall be His people, and God himself shall be with them and be their God." Revelation: 21:3.

Signed in and on behalf of New England Yearly Meeting.

THOMAS R. BODINE, Clerk
MIRIAM E. JONES, Recording Clerk

51. Theodore Paullin, Chairman of the Peace and Social Concerns Department, presented the written reports of this department. He introduced John R. Kellam who had just arrived from the Fourth Friends Conference on Race Relations meeting at Poughkeepsie, New York. The urgency of the times underlines the report that he brought from this group. He read the letters to the President and to the Friends' Schools and Colleges making clear the responsibility that lies with each. He gave practical examples of ways that each individual can take steps to carry our concern for every man into action that will erase prejudice and give freedom for full cultural development.

REPORT OF THE SOCIAL CONCERNS COMMITTEE

In this our first year as a separate committee we held five meetings, including participation in a Peace and Social Concerns Department weekend planning retreat at Woolman Hill. In our wish to better help local meetings, letters to and visitation with monthly meetings were found to be beneficial.

Improvement in race relations in North and South proved to be one of our major areas of concern. Legislation promoting equal opportunity in housing in New England states interested us and our committee provided for the expenses for a representative from our group to attend the National Conference of Friends on Race Relations, June 16-21, 1963.

Abolition of capital punishment was another area for the committee's interest and action. Letters were sent by the committee to Massachusetts Governor Peabody, Senator Powers, and Attorney General Brooke commending each on his stand against capital punishment.

Our committee showed concern about moral standards, among youth and adults, and discussed ways in which we could educate about the effects of drinking and smoking.

Interest in the provision of a Youth Field Secretary for the Yearly Meeting lead us to consider ways in which such a worker could be obtained, financed and used, in cooperative arrangement with the Peace Committee and Education Department.

52. The Peace Committee recommends that the Yearly Meeting again sponsor a Witness for Peace in 1964. It is approved.

REPORT OF THE PEACE COMMITTEE

In accordance with Minute 75 of the 1962 Yearly Meeting, the Peace Committee undertook as its major task for the year the organization of this witness, which was held in Boston on Friday, April 12, 1963. The plans for the Witness, together with the "Call," the "Discipline," and a leaflet to be passed out to persons who asked for it, were all submitted to the Executive Council and received their approval. A letter signed by the Clerk of Yearly Meeting and the Chairman of the Peace Committee was sent to each monthly meeting, asking it to appoint overseers for the Witness, and about a dozen meetings made such appointments. Two hundred sixteen persons registered to take part in the Witness, and stood in silent meditation before the State House in Boston for at least a part of the time.

On the basis of its experience this year, and the feeling of those who took part, the Committee recommends that Yearly Meeting again sponsor a similar Witness for Peace in 1964.

53. Thyra Jane Foster presented a summary of the Worship-Workshop on the Friends Committee on National Legislation which has been a successful experience in careful study of a very important activity of Friends. The need for Monthly Meetings and individuals to undertake support and activity in political areas was made known and encouraged even though it is a field unfamiliar to many of us.

REPORT OF THE REPRESENTATIVES ON THE FRIENDS COMMITTEE ON NATIONAL LEGISLATION

Last fall we were fortunate in having a visit to our New England area of Edward Snyder and Charles Harker. They each met with several groups of Friends and the visit culminated in our weekend of September 28-30 at Woolman Hill. Here our efforts to increase the Friends Committee on National Legislation membership in New England began and included a wide distribution of letters and leaflets for the use of a member or two in each quarterly meeting.

Early in 1963 we met with Franklin Pineo at Cambridge Meeting to discuss and outline plans for the 20th Anniversary Meetings. These will be held during the week of November 3-9, and Hartford, Providence, Cambridge, Durham, Maine, and Dover are actively planning such sessions.

James E. Bristol, a leader in the Workshop on Non-Violent Direct Action spoke about the American Friends Service Committee's efforts to find the underlying causes of violence. Many people are willing to make a try for non-violent response but if the first effort does not bring success there is the question of whether violence is then the only alternative. The effort to find more approaches to peaceful action has been an on-going concern. James Bristol has had a great deal of opportunity to observe India's efforts to express Gandhian Principles in conflict situations. We in our own country have opportunities to know of non-violent action and we must constantly explore new avenues of this expression.

John Sullivan presented to the Yearly Meeting a proposed statement written by the members of a Worship-Workshop Group for our consideration. Friends find it an expression of the direction and spirit we wish to carry forward. It is approved.

STATEMENT OF NEW ENGLAND YEARLY MEETING

The world, our country, and man himself stand today before the crises of a magnitude rarely, if ever, confronted in previous history. The very existence of our world is threatened with nuclear fire and poison; our nation stands on the brink of racial warfare; man himself is alienated, distrustful, ready to hate and kill, placing material gain above duty to God and to his fellow men.

Religious and political ideals, which have been rarely lived up to, become in our time the absolute necessities of life. Without peace, civilization will perish. Without full racial equality, here and now, our country stands threatened with bloodshed or with repression and the adoption of the odious means of the police state to control the civil order.

The New England Yearly Meeting of the Religious Society of Friends recognizes and accepts in full the challenge presented to all Americans and especially to those who profess belief in the fatherhood of God and the brotherhood of man. What religious people and institutions do today will impose upon them divine judgment as to whether they have fulfilled the demands God places upon us all.

North and South, Negro leadership is moving with increasing confidence to demand the justice and brotherhood so long denied. In our country we wait to hear the sure voices that will lead us on the road to a warless world. These greater conflicts both originate and are reflected in the persons of men and women themselves. At this moment all men stand before God, who asks: "Do you hear? Will you respond?"

The times call for courage. We must be willing to run risks, to put our trust in that Spirit to which men have traditionally paid lip service, only to refuse in reality to trust it. We must be prepared to make substantial sacrifices, to accept the passing of that old order which has treated some of us so well, and to establish a new order of freedom and justice for all men.

This new order calls for men to rid themselves now of the taint of segregation, to cease discrimination in employment, housing, education and all other aspects of life. It calls for the immediate cessation of nuclear testing, the complete elimination of modern weaponry, and liberation from the crushing spiritual and material burden of war. It calls for determination to disarm and to convince other nations of the rightness of that procedure. It calls for strengthening the peacemaking powers of the United Nations, with greater authority to resolve conflicts and disputes to establish patterns of international justice, and to promote programs for improving the spiritual and material condition of men in all nations.

To restore faith, to unloose love, to enable God to work through us: this is the task of the religious man, and this is the most important thing for a Christian to do today. The religious man is called to break with violence, suspicion, and hatred in a world gone mad with these passions; to show in his life, in his "no" as well as in his "yes", that everything dear and precious to him he trusts and commits to the God of love who made, upholds, and guides the universe.

Gordon Browne expressed an individual concern; he would like to have a statement of unity of purpose sent from this Meeting to leaders in the Southern Christian Leadership

Conference. The Meeting approved, and an offering was taken to accompany the letter.

Southern Christian Leadership Conference
334 Auburn Ave., N. E.
Atlanta 3, Georgia

Dear Friends:

New England Yearly Meeting of Friends, in session at Providence, Rhode Island, Sixth Month 18-23, 1963, recorded its unity that the full rights, opportunities, and obligations of American citizenship must belong to all Americans, without any exception because of race, color, or creed. Neither desegregation nor legally enforced integration is an adequate goal. Our purpose must be to build a society which clearly reflects the oneness of Man, the brotherhood of all men under the Fatherhood of God.

Noble goals demand noble means. We are grateful, therefore, for the leadership of Martin Luther King and others like him who utilize the power of love and the instrument of non-violence to produce social change. With gratitude and admiration we lend our prayerful support to their efforts and to those of the courageous men, women, and children who are exposing themselves to suffering and injustice today for the sake of brotherhood and justice tomorrow.

To those of our fellow Americans who are anxious, fearful, or hostile in the face of the present social revolution, we offer loving encouragement to seek that pure Light which God has set shining within them. Through its illumination, ancient prejudices, guilts, and fears can give way to a vision of a new fellowship, founded in His love for each of His children. The enclosed contribution is a token of the determination of New England Friends to give imaginative and unstinting support through their Meetings and their individual actions to the immediate establishment of that fellowship.

Yours, in love,

THOMAS R. BODINE, Clerk
MIRIAM E. JONES, Recording Clerk

54. The Clerks are requested to prepare printed Minutes which will include the reports not orally presented but which have been before the Yearly Meeting in printed form.

1962 REPORT OF THE EQUALIZATION FUND COMMITTEE

	Number	Amounts
Adults	15	$ 221.55
Young Friends	32	591.90
Juniors	33	543.60
	80	$1,357.05

REPORT FROM INVESTMENTS AND PERMANENT FUNDS COMMITTEE

for the period from June 13, 1962 through May 8, 1963

Since our last report eleven regular meetings have been held, with our advisory counsel. A quorum was present at all meetings.

The Committee has constantly endeavored to select, for investment, those industries which seemed most consistent with the general beliefs of Friends, which contributed to the welfare of our citizens, and which combined safety with reasonable return.

During the year $300,000.00 of unrestricted funds, in the Moses Brown School account, have been converted into cash and made available to the Treasurer of the School, as authorized by the 1962 Yearly Meeting, for use in the costs of constructing a classroom building.

"It has been the policy of the Board (now referred to as Committee) to accept for investment funds from local and monthly meetings as well as those from the Yearly Meeting." The foregoing sentence is quoted from the 1960 Yearly Meeting Minutes (page 44) and is repeated as a reminder to Friends of this service.

REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL

The Executive Council in its first year of existence under the new departmental and committee structure has had several areas of concern, namely, that of working with the Field Secretary, continuing the work begun by the Central Advisory Committee — that of helping to get the Yearly Meeting reorganization further under way, assisting the Yearly Meeting clerk in plans for the 1963 Yearly Meeting with the new emphasis on workshops, and helping the Arrangements Committee to work out these plans for Yearly Meeting.

In our efforts to accomplish complete reorganization, as instructed by the Yearly Meeting, we have encouraged committees to appoint representatives to departments where necessary, so that departments could function as much as possible this past year. There have been pitfalls in this first year of reorganization, which we recognize, but we also see advantages and future possibilities within this new committee structure. A session for further discussion and evaluation of this new organization is planned for this next year.

REPORT OF THE MISSIONARY COMMITTEE

The purpose of the Yearly Meeting Missionary Committee is to stimulate interest in and support of the American Friends Board of Missions and to keep Friends aware of the overall mission of Friends. A list of persons available to speak on various areas of this work was mailed to Monthly Meetings. Reports indicate that some of these Friends and others were profitably used in several Meetings. As this is written plans are being made for Dorothy Pitman, recently returned after years of work among women of Africa, to visit some of the Meetings in New England. The work in Kenya is brought still closer to our attention by our personal interest in the following New England Friends who have been or will be serving there this year: Philip and Virginia Towle and their five children, Lloyd and Imogene Brightman and their three children, Caleb and Jeannette Smith and two of their children, Leslie and Winnifred Barrett, and Donnell Boardman.

Friends have been privileged to become acquainted with George Minott, a former teacher at Happy Grove School, and his wife, Myrtle, and through them to learn more about the activities of Jamaica Yearly Meeting. George is studying in preparation for further service in Jamaica.

More contacts with Friends from the schools and Meeting in Ramallah, Jordan, would be most welcome.

REPORT OF THE FIVE YEARS MEETING COMMITTEE

The Five Years Meeting is an extension of our witness and service beyond our local Meetings' limits in space and ability. For more than sixty years the several Yearly Meetings have cooperated in fellowship, worship and work resulting in the extension of Christian Education, Missions, publications, etc.

This year has been one of intensification of the attempt of the Five Years Meeting to deal adequately with the needs that are seen and the concerns that are felt. New boards and new full time secretaries are evidence of our coopprative attempt to do a better job.

The Five Years Meeting sessions will be held in Richmond July 19 to 25 and will be a time of inspiration and sharing. Those attending, of whom we hope you will be one, will become aware of the scope and value of the work being done.

You and your meeting are encouraged to use the services of those returned from Africa; to use David Stanfield in matters of Stewardship education and Finance; to use the publications and personnel of the Christian Education Board in matters of education; to use the book store for books and materials; to ask aid and advice of the Board on Evangelism and Church Extension in matters of meeting growth and stimulation of spiritual life; etc.

REPORT OF THE CHRISTIAN EDUCATION COMMITTEE

The Committee has had four meetings this year with a larger percentage of attendance than ever. Meetings also have been more aware of the willingness of committee members to be of use to them.

Many requests for information and material have been taken care of by the chairman and others on the committee. Also more Friends material is in use in more Meetings than ever before. We feel that these are signs of healthy growth in the Christian education program.

The laboratory school in Poughskeepsie, New York which we are holding in collaboration with the New York Christian Education Committee in June, will be a real aid in setting up workshops in Christian Education throughout New England in the years ahead.

A circulating library of teacher helps and Christian Education books will be available in the fall to provide more and better material to First Day schools which are not able to invest heavily in these books. A catalogue with instruction for its use will be sent out when ready.

The Christian Education workshop at Yearly Meeting on Adult and Christian Home Life will be the basis for a new handbook to be published by the Five Years Meeting. The hope of the Yearly Meeting to have a full time Youth Worker has received serious study and it is expected that this dream will be fulfilled in the near future.

REPORT OF THE MOSHER BOOK AND TRACT COMMITTEE

The work of the Mosher Committee is books. For over ten years we have been providing books to Monthly and Preparative Meetings within the Yearly Meeting. Every Quarterly Meeting has received books for its libraries this past year. China Camp has received books and we have purchased Missionary materials. QUAKER LIFE has been sent to ministers and workers, and the two schools in Ramallah, Jordan. QUAKER LIFE and other Quaker periodicals have been sent to the New England Friends Home. We have stretched beyond the limits of the Yearly Meeting in "OUTREACH", making available books, desperately needed, in distant places. Our help has been felt in Jamaica, West Indies, at the Highgate Continuation School, and at a Negro college in Birmingham, Alabama.

REPORT OF NEW ENGLAND FRIENDS HOME COMMITTEE

Every room in the New England Friends Home is now occupied, and we are fortunate to have Katherine Haviland, a member of the Cambridge Meeting and a former member of this Committee as matron. She and her sister, Edna, who is also at the Home, have helped to maintain the kind of atmosphere of warmth and personal interest among the residents that we like to think is one of the basic characteristics of a Friends home.

During the year the heating system was redesigned and rearranged to provide a separate thermostat for each room. These changes have provided more comfort for the residents and hopefully will save a considerable amount in the consumption of fuel.

The Committee has discussed this year at some length problems in connection with the rates charged to residents of the Home. After giving thoughtful consideration to the matter, the Committee feels that Friends should not be subsidized to meet expenses that can be met by public assistance. The law provides for such assistance in appropriate cases, and we believe that the funds given to the Yearly Meeting should be used to supplement such assistance and not to replace it. We believe that there is no stigma in accepting such assistance to which we as individuals contribute through the payment of taxes. We believe that it is the duty of the Committee to use the funds of the Yearly Meeting to provide assistance where it is most needed and where it cannot be obtained from other sources.

The weekly rates for room and board at the Home range all the way from the basic rate of $32 for a single room without private bath for a Friend to $55 for a large room with private bath for a non-Friend. These rates are subject to change with changing costs, but at present the committee believes that the rates for Friends cover actual operating costs and the rates for non-Friends cover a fair share of the overhead expenses as well. The Committee feels that non-Friends should not be subsidized at all. Non-Friends are admitted to residence only with the understanding that they may have to move to make room for Friends at some later time. The Home is intended to be primarily a Friends home both in operation and occupancy.

At the time of writing this report, the Amesbury property has still not been sold. The School Committee of the Town of Amesbury wanted the Town to buy it, but the Town voted against it at its annual meeting in March. The income from the rented portion of the property is sufficient to maintain the property pending an early sale.

About $76,000 of the $86,000 pledged for the remodeling of the Home in Hingham has been received and payments will still be coming in for another year. Contributions have been received this year in memory of Amos Wheeler who was a member of Bolton Meeting and who died in 1962.

NEW ENGLAND FRIENDS HOME TREASURER'S REPORT

Period Ending March 31, 1963

Income:		
Cash on hand (4/1/62)		$ 331.30
Boarders		16,242.35
New England Yearly Meeting		1,000.00
Trust fund		7,195.34
Contributions		246.55
Other		326.40
	Total	$25,341.92
Expenditures:		
Wages		$ 8,106.71
Taxes (on wages)		274.59
Telephone		477.77
Laundry		196.81
Supplies		437.41
Provisions		3,821.99
Repair & Maintenance		1,098.98
Insurance		1,145.42
Utilities:		
Gas		4,020.76
Water		292.16
Electricity		348.30
Miscellaneous		324.98
	Total	$20,545.88
Cash on hand March 31, 1963		$ 4,796.04

Henry W. Stokes, Treasurer

55. The Investments and Permanent Funds Committee requests an exception to the rotating procedure in the case of Willard Ware who seems to be especially needed on that Committee. It is approved.

56. Hearty approval was made of a statement of our appreciation to Providence Friends for their hospitality to Friends.

57. Frances Gove introduced the program of the Junior Yearly Meeting and introduced Jane Cook who will continue the fine leadership of this active group of our membership. The Yearly Meeting records with gratitude its appreciation for the dedicated work of many Friends under the able guidance of Frances Gove.

JUNIOR YEARLY MEETING EPISTLE

To Junior Yearly Meetings Everywhere:

Dear Friends,

New England Yearly Meeting opened on June 18, 1963 at Pembroke College in Providence, Rhode Island, under the direction of Margaret Wentworth. About thirty people of Junior High age and forty younger children attended the sessions. Our theme this year was peace.

Our morning schedule was Worship, Business, Singing, and study and projects. Some of our leaders were Thera Hindmarsh, Beatrice Kimball, and David Rhoads. Our guest speakers included Thomas Perry, Junior, who spoke and showed slides of Algeria.

Our afternoon program consisted of special interest groups and swimming. One Wednesday we took a tour of the School of Design Museum, and on Thursday we went on a picnic. In the evening we had a variety of programs.

We think that this has been one of the most successful and well-attended Junior Yearly Meetings we have held so far.

Epistle Committee:
DAVID MARSTALLER
KATHY SOMERS
JACK BURGESS

CRAIG MEADER, Presiding Clerk
JANE PHILLIPS, Recording Clerk

Edwin Hinshaw who has led the Young Friends activities introduced Robinson Lilienthal who presented the Young Friends Epistle.

58. We welcome Dione Tamayo from Cuba Yearly Meeting now residing in Worcester at these sessions and Stephen Smith from Iowa Conservative Yearly Meeting.

59. The Young Friends have sent forward the list of their new officers as follows:

Clerk: STEPHEN CURWOOD
Recording Clerk: MARTHA COPELAND
Treasurer: EVA LILIENTHAL

60. The Clerk, Thomas R. Bodine, read the Epistle that we have prepared for Friends everywhere.

At New England Yearly Meeting held in 1672, 291 years ago: "And when it was ended it was hard for Friends to part, for the glorious power of the Lord which was over all and his blessed Truth and life flowing amongst them had so knit and united them together that they spent two days in taking leave of one another and Friends went away being mightily filled with the presence and power of the Lord."

The sessions now conclude purposing with Divine assistance to work together during the year and to meet at the appointed time and place next year.

THOMAS R. BODINE, Clerk
MIRIAM E. JONES, Recording Clerk

We hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the minutes as approved from time to time in the foregoing schedule of sessions, to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Tabulated Statement of Membership Changes in New England Yearly Meeting for the Year Ending 12-31-1962

	Gains						Losses																			
Monthly & **Quarterly** **Meetings**	Membership 1961	Omissions last report	Birth	Request	Cert. from Friends Mtg.	Letters from other Den.	Total additions	Included by error last report	Death	Resignation	Discontinuance	Certificate to other Friends Meetings	Letters to other Denominations	Total Loss	Number Members this year 12-31-62	Net Gain	Net Loss	Number Males	Number Females	Number under 21 years	Number Associate Members	Transferred to Active Members	Resident Members	Non-Resident Members	Resident Adults	Average Attendance
Guilford	28	0	0	3	0	1	4	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	31	3	0	13	18	13	0	0	21	10	12	11
Hartford	246	0	1	19	1	0	21	0	3	0	1	1	0	5	262	16	0	120	142	114	117	1	232	30	120	60
Mid. Conn. Va.	110	0	0	11	8	0	19	0	2	7	0	0	0	9	120	10	0	58	62	38	46	0	91	29	53	62
Middletown	24	0	0	3	0	0	3	0	0	1	0	1	0	2	25	1	0	17	8	0	11	0	22	3	10	20
Monadnock	29	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	30	1	0	16	14	19	12	0	23	7	9	30
New Haven	47	0	1	5	1	0	7	0	0	0	0	3	0	3	51	4	0	20	31	24	21	1	41	10	27	30
Conn. Valley Q. M.	484	0	2	42	10	1	55	0	5	8	1	6	0	20	519	35	0	244	275	208	207	2	430	89	231	213
Dover	125	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	124	0	1	58	66	18	18	0	72	52	48	77
Weare	83	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	84	1	0	43	41	24	30	0	48	36	30	22
Dover Q. M.	208	0	0	0	1	1	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	208	0	0	101	107	42	48	0	120	88	78	99
Durham	150	0	1	0	1	0	2	0	2	1	0	6	0	9	143	0	7	60	83	49	31	0	108	35	70	63
Falmouth	122	0	0	1	1	0	2	0	5	0	0	2	0	7	117	0	5	44	73	13	17	0	70	47	62	50
Forest Ave.	44	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	1	1	0	0	0	2	44	0	0	15	29	10	9	0	27	17	19	11
Parsonsfield	47	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	47	0	0	28	19	15	30	0	26	21	12	0
Sandwich	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	18	0	1	7	11	1	6	0	7	11	7	8
Windham	29	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	29	0	0	6	23	3	0	0	28	1	25	12
Falmouth Q. M.	411	0	1	1	4	0	6	0	9	2	0	8	0	19	398	0	13	160	238	91	93	0	266	132	195	144

Bennington	0	0	1	0	12	0	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	13	0	7	6	4	4	0	13	0	9	7
Burlington	38	0	0	6	3	2	11	0	1	0	0	3	0	4	45	7	0	22	23	32	32	0	36	9	17	24
Hanover	41	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	5	0	6	36	0	5	16	20	14	14	0	33	3	19	25
Northwest Q. M.	79	0	1	6	15	3	25	0	2	0	0	8	0	10	94	15	0	45	49	50	50	0	82	12	45	56
N. Dartmouth	26	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	26	0	0	8	18	3	3	0	11	15	11	12
Providence	184	4	0	3	1	0	8	2	1	0	0	0	0	3	189	5	0	89	100	48	57	0	135	54	100	75
Westerly	48	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	47	0	1	18	29	5	5	0	23	24	18	14
Rhode Island Q. M.	258	4	0	3	1	0	8	2	2	0	0	0	0	4	262	4	0	115	147	56	65	0	169	93	129	101
Amesbury	20	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	4	2	0	8	12	0	8	2	10	3	3	0	7	5	7	6
Cambridge	541	0	2	5	13	2	22	0	5	1	0	6	1	13	550	9	0	244	306	163	169	3	319	231	218	325
Lawrence	80	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	79	0	1	29	50	15	13	0	38	41	38	40
Lynn	65	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	1	0	0	5	60	0	5	22	38	6	5	0	51	9	45	27
Wellesley	76	0	0	8	1	0	9	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	83	7	0	38	45	42	40	0	83	0	41	65
Salem Q. M.	782	0	2	14	14	2	32	0	13	1	5	10	1	30	784	2	0	335	449	229	230	3	498	286	349	463
Allen's Neck	79	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	79	0	0	28	51	16	9	0	58	21	56	35
Dartmouth	49	0	0	11	0	0	11	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	59	10	0	24	35	7	6	0	48	11	25	25
New Bedford	96	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	3	93	0	3	38	55	5	8	0	50	43	35	15
Sandwich	49	0	0	1	6	0	7	0	3	0	3	0	0	6	50	1	0	21	29	12	12	1	29	21	18	50
Swansea	94	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	3	91	0	3	44	47	47	29	0	52	39	32	28
Westport	104	0	0	1	7	0	8	0	1	0	3	4	4	12	100	0	4	39	61	24	23	0	70	30	54	36
Sandwich Q. M.	471	0	0	14	13	0	27	0	7	2	9	4	4	26	472	1	0	194	278	111	87	1	307	165	220	189
Bolton	28	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	2	26	0	2	8	18	3	0	0	15	11	15	5
Smithfield	90	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	89	0	1	35	54	10	8	0	51	38	41	30
Worcester	147	0	1	6	0	0	7	0	1	0	0	1	3	5	149	2	0	68	81	35	34	0	107	42	81	41
Smithfield Q. M.	265	0	1	6	0	0	7	1	3	0	0	1	3	8	264	0	1	111	153	48	42	0	173	91	137	76
China	46	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	45	0	1	15	30	6	7	0	22	23	17	70
Maple Grove	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
N. Fairfield	20	0	0	0	5	0	5	0	1	0	0	0	1	2	23	3	0	8	15	2	1	1	15	8	13	18
Oak Grove	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	2	2	2	150
Vassalboro	80	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	80	0	0	41	39	34	27	0	46	34	26	25
Winthrop	100	1	0	2	0	0	3	0	2	2	0	1	0	5	98	0	2	37	61	20	0	3	90	8	70	45
Vassalboro Q. M.	252	1	1	2	5	0	9	0	4	2	2	1	2	9	250	0	2	102	148	62	35	4	175	75	128	308
Totals	3210	5	8	88	63	7	171	3	47	15	17	38	10	128	3251	41	0	1407	1844	897	857	10	2220	1031	1512	1649

YEARLY MEETING CALENDAR OF DAILY EVENTS

JUNE 18-23, 1963

Tuesday, June 18

2:00-3:30 P.M.
Yearly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel. Paul Lacey, "Membership in the Society of Friends."

3:45 P.M.
Permanent Board Meeting.

7:00
Step Singing.

7:30-8:45
Opening Minute. Worship followed by talk by Paul Lacey, "The Testimony of Quaker Worship."

Wednesday, June 19

8:30-10:30 A.M.
Worship-Workshop Sessions (½ hour for worship followed by 1½ hours for workshops and discussion under leaders provided by Department.)

10:45-11:45
Business Meeting: Roll Call of Representatives, Minutes of Visiting Friends. Report of the Permanent Board. Concerns from Quarterly Meetings.

11:50-12:20
Bible Half Hour. Richard Stenhouse on "The Bible and Man's Search for Community in Today's World".

3:00-5:00 P.M.
Business Meeting: Report of Discipline Revision Committee. Finance Department. Initial presentation of Budget for 1963-64.

7:00
Step Singing.

7:30-8:45
Public Meeting. Worship. Herbert Hadley, "Can the Church Speak to Today's World?"

Thursday, June 20

8:30-10:30 A.M.
Worship-Workshop Sessions.

10:45-11:45
Business Meeting: Reports of Field Secretary, Discipline Revision Committee (continued), and Nominating Committee.

11:50-12:20
Bible Half Hour. Richard Stenhouse.

1:30-2:45 P.M.
Women's Missionary Society. Annice Carter, speaker.

3:00-5:00
Business Meeting: Outreach Department.

7:00
Step Singing.

7:30-8:45 P.M.
Business Meeting: Report of Yearly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel. Consideration of State of Society: Spiritual Condition, Statistical Reports. Report of Vaults and Records Committee.

Friday, June 21

8:30-10:30 A.M.
Worship-Workshop Sessions.

10:45-11:45
Business Meeting: Plans for next Yearly Meeting, unfinished business, general concerns.

11:50-12:20
Bible Half Hour. Richard Stenhouse.

2:00-4:00 P.M.
Business Meeting: Education Department.

4:15-5:15
Tea at Providence Friends Meeting House.

7:00
Step Singing.

7:30-8:45 P.M.
Public Meeting. Worship. Panel discussion on "The Nature and Meaning of Quaker Education." Morris Kirk, Rachel Letchworth, and Henry Scattergood.

Saturday, June 22

8:30-10:30 A.M.
Worship-Workshop Sessions.

10:45-11:45
Business Meeting: Finance Department. Final presentation of 1963-64 Budget.

11:50-12:20
Bible Half Hour. Richard Stenhouse.

2:00-5:00 P.M.
Business Meeting: Report of Correspondence Committee. Peace and Social Concerns Department. Unfinished business.

7:00
Step Singing.

7:30-8:45 P.M.
Reports and Program by Junior Yearly Meeting and Young Friends.

Sunday, June 23

9:30-10:15 A.M.
Baccalaureate Address by Rufus M. Jones given at Guilford College, 1937. Read by Miriam E. Jones.

9:30-10:15
Bible School for children under care of Christian Education Committee.

10:30 A.M.
Meeting for Worship.

1:30-2:45 P.M.
Public Meeting. Address by Samuel R. Levering, "The Friends Committee on National Legislation: The First Twenty Years, and the Future." Reading of Epistle. Concluding Minute.

3:15 P.M.
Permanent Board Meeting.

WORSHIP WORKSHOPS

Education Department

1. Adult and Christian Home Life.
II. Friends Education — Our Concern for Friends' Schools and for Public Education.

Finance Department

I. The Interpretation of Program Through Finance. The Meaning of Stewardship and Individual Commitment.

Outreach Department

I. The Changing Nature of Friends Mission Work in Emerging Nations; Kenya, Jamaica, Jordan.
II. Training for Leadership, Functions of Ministry and Counsel, Intervisitation, Essence of Worship.

Peace and Social Concerns Department.

I. Non-Violent Techniques for the Resolution of Conflicts.
II. Friends Involvement in Political Activity.

OFFICERS

Presiding Clerk	THOMAS R. BODINE
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Yearly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel

Clerk: SAMUEL B. BURGESS
Recording Clerk: HERBERT KIMBALL

Interim Committee (Appointed by Quarterly Meetings on Ministry and Counsel)

Conn. Valley:	Helen Griffith	Ellen Paullin
Dover:	David Curtis	
Falmouth:	Ira Wine	Ruth Graham
Northwest:	Susan Chambers	Nancy Booth
Rhode Island:	Ruth White	Julianna Perry
Salem:	John Cann	Lydia Willits
Sandwich:	Corwin Perisho	Dorothy Williamson
Smithfield:	Melita Fisher	Nancy Johnson
Vassalboro:	Eva Otis	Edna Cates

Permanent Board

Clerk: WINSLOW H. OSBORNE
Recording Clerk: JOHN H. FOSTER

For One Year

Ralph W. Austin
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Russell Brooks
David L. Curtis
John H. Foster
Katherine E. Locke
Albert R. Moore
Alice Perry
Leona G. Stevens
Louisa White

For Two Years

Eleanor C. Bailey
Clayton T. Drown
Helen Griffith
Thera F. Hindmarsh
Miriam E. Jones
Harold W. Myers
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George A. Selleck
Roberta G. Selleck

For Three Years

Donna J. Aldrich
Moses Bailey
George I. Bliss
Philip H. Cornell
Helen Meader
Richard L. Naeye
Robert E. Owen
Henry H. Perry
Leota S. Wadleigh
Robert M. White

For Four Years

Thomas Bassett
John H. Cann
Margaret A. Cates
Karl H. Erickson
Seth K. Gifford II
Garrett S. Hoag
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Rose Z. Schafer
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Margaret A. Douglas
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Henry C. Foster
Richard S. Gove
Winslow H. Osborne
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James J. Toothaker
Willard H. Ware

Ex officio: The Clerk, the Field Secretary, the Treasurer of the Yearly Meeting, and the Chairman of the Executive Council.

Executive Council

Chairman: GEORGE I. BLISS
Secretary: ELIZABETH L. JONES

Representative from
Education Department: George I. Bliss
Finance Department: Ernest H. Weed
Outreach Department: Gregory Harrison
Peace and Social Concerns Department: Marion Jessell

Members at Large

For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
Henry C. Foster	Grace P. Bliss	Thomas J. Crowe
Elizabeth L. Jones	Hazel C. Foster	John A. Sullivan
Ernest H. Weed	Ruth F. Osborne	Margaret H. Wentworth

Clerk of the Yearly Meeting, of the Permanent Board, of the Yearly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel and the Field Secretary.

Arrangements Committee

Chairman: EDWARD A. WHITE

Helen L. Bliss
Samuel B. Burgess
Henry C. Foster
Carol Kellam
John R. Kellam
Robinson Lilienthal
Hazel Meyers
Katherine Perry
Caroline A. Price
Lelia E. Taylor
Edward A. White

Archives and Historical Records Committee

(Formerly Vaults and Records Committee)
Chairman: THYRA JANE FOSTER

For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
Thomas Bassett	Warder H. Cadbury	Amelia F. Emerson
Robert N. Cool	Thyra Jane Foster	F. Warren Howe, Jr.
L. Ralston Thomas	Sarah N. Gallagher	Doris P. Mowry

Auditors of the Permanent Funds

For One Year: J. Franklin Pineo
For Two Years: Russell S. Douglas
For Three Years: Seth K. Gifford II

China Camp Committee

Chairman: RICHARD S. GOVE Secretary: HAZEL MEYERS

For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
George F. Cates	Ralph W. Austin	Edwin E. Hinshaw
P. Russell Cornell	Leslie A. Buckland	J. Franklin Pineo
Richard S. Gove	Virginia M. Phillips	Mildred S. Richardson
Hazel Meyers	Charles Woodbury	Susan H. Webb

Christian Education Committee

Chairman: JANE E. COOK
Secretary: SIBYLLE J. BARLOW
Junior Yearly Meeting: LELIA E. TAYLOR and HELEN N. WYMAN

For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
Jane E. Cook	Sibylle J. Barlow	Mary Jane Carpenter
Elizabeth F. Gifford	Ralph D. Greene	Amy S. Hayden
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Thera F. Hindmarsh	Beatrice Kimball	W. Fay Luder
Philip Miller	Shirley R. Leslie	Sylvia S. Perry
Lelia E. Taylor	Dorothy E. Meshenuk	John Smith
Thomas Waring	Herbert H. Stevens, Jr.	Kenneth Strobel
Margaret Wentworth	Frances P. York	Judith H. W. Tyson
David Wetherell		Helen N. Wyman

Correspondence Committee

Chairman: JANE C. BURGESS

For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
Gordon M. Browne, Jr.	Millicent S. Foster	Elizabeth F. Ballard
Margaret E. Sisson	Mary D. Maher	Jane C. Burgess
Bradford Smith	Seal Thompson	Henry B. Williams

Discipline Revision Committee

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Gordon M. Browne, Jr.
Jane C. Burgess
Millicent S. Foster
Louis J. Marstaller
Daisy N. Newman
J. Franklin Pineo
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Henry B. Stevens
Lelia E. Taylor

Equalization Fund Committee

Chairman: MAUD B. SMITH

For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
Helen Perisho	Bertha Ann D. Copeland	Edward Leslie
Leona G. Stevens		Clarabel Marstaller
Susan H. Webb	Frank J. Gademan	Eunice Strobel
	Maud B. Smith	

Finance Committee (Appointed by Quarterly Meetings)

Chairman: FINLEY H. PERRY

	For One Year	For Two Years
Connecticut Valley:	Henry Baechler	—
Dover:	Henry T. Osborne	Mildred S. Richardson
Falmouth:	Stanley L. Aldrich	Mabel F. Russell
Northwest:	Marianne Small	Arthur Armstrong
Rhode Island:	John R. Kellam	Edward A. White
Salem:	Richard S. Gove	Finley H. Perry
Sandwich:	Ernest H. Weed	Harry Allen
Smithfield:	Kenneth Strobel	Clayton T. Drown
Vassalboro:	Hazel C. Foster	Eva Otis

Ex officio: the Treasurer of the Yearly Meeting.

Five Years Meeting Committee

Friends Central Offices, 101 Quaker Hill Dr., Richmond, Indiana.
Chairman: ERNEST H. WEED

(Composed of representatives from New England appointed to Boards of the Five Years Meeting and representatives appointed to the Five Years Meeting.)

Appointments to Boards:

Board on Christian Education: Jane E. Cook
Board on Christian Education: Helen L. Bliss
American Friends Board of Missions: Mabel G. Bailey
American Friends Board of Missions: Willard H. Ware
Board on Evangelism and Church Extension: Moses Bailey
Board on Christian Social Concerns: Elizabeth L. Jones
Publication Board: Robert N. Cool.
Board on Stewardship and Finance: Ernest H. Weed
Board on Christian Vocations: Clarabel Marstaller
Executive Council: Thomas R. Bodine and Willard H. Ware

Representatives to the Five Years Meeting, July 19-25, 1963:

Thomas R. Bodine
Gordon M. Browne
Margaret A. Cates
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Seth Gifford II
Clarabel H. Marstaller
Ruth F. Osborne
J. Franklin Pineo

Alternates:
Mabel G. Bailey
Elizabeth F. Ballard
Thomas Bassett
Ernest H. Weed
Charles W. Wood

Friends General Conference Committee

1520 Race St., Philadelphia 2, Pa.

Chairman: MARGARET A. CATES

For Two Years	For Four Years
Margaret A. Cates	Elizabeth F. Ballard
J. Franklin Pineo	George I. Bliss
John A. Sullivan	Ambrose W. Meyers

Ex officio: The Clerk of the Yearly Meeting and of the Permanent Board.

Investments and Permanent Funds Committee

Chairman: EDWARD A. WHITE

For Five Years:	J. Rudolf Metz	Henry H. Perry
For Four Years:	Proctor W. Houghton	Thomas Perry
For Three Years:	Clayton T. Drown	Edward A. White
For Two Years:	Philip Cornell	George Halford
For One Year:	L. Ralston Thomas	Rudman Ham
		Willard H. Ware

Meetings and Extension Committee

Chairman: HERBERT KIMBALL Secretary: RUTH E. HOGE

For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
David L. Curtis	Elizabeth F. Ballard	Carleton E. Cates
Elizabeth L. Jones	Russell D. Brooks	Philip H. Cornell
Harold W. Myers	Herbert Kimball	Frances T. Gove
		Ruth E. Hoge

Meetings for Worship at Yearly Meeting

(Appointed by Yearly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel.)

Dorothy J. Averill
Helen Burgess

Missionary Committee

Chairman: RUTH D. B. WHITE
Vice Chairman: MELITA B. FISHER
Secretary: RUTH H. MELLOR

For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
Alice C. Gifford	Mabel G. Bailey	Grace P. Bliss
Edna Haviland	Bernice C. S. Douglas	James P. Brown
*Amy S. Hayden	*Melita B. Fisher	Barbara S. Erickson
Marion E. Kelsey	Gladys M. Gifford	Ruth C. Graham
Virginia Meuse	Frank J. Lepreau, Jr.	‡David Spinney
Mildred S. Richardson	Miriam B. Lepreau	Vernah Toothaker
Malvena Robbins	Ruth H. Mellor	Constance R. Way
‡Edith C. Ware	Hermann Patt	Willard H. Ware
*Ruth D. B. White		

‡Indian Sub-Committee

*Freedmen's Fund Sub-Committee

Moses Brown School and Lincoln School Committee

Clerk: WILLARD H. WARE
Assistant Clerk: SETH K. GIFFORD II
Recording Clerk: VIRGINIA TOWNSEND

For One Year

Louisa Alger
Margaret A. Cates
Katherine A. Locke
Florence M. Selleck
*Henry W. Stokes
Edward A. White

For Two Years

Moses Bailey
Thomas Bassett
Melita B. Fisher
‡Alexander M. Burgess, Jr.
David Holden
*Louisa White

For Three Years

Mary S. Barrett
Gordon M. Browne, Jr.
Rudman J. Ham
‡James J. Toothaker
Leota S. Wadleigh

For Four Years

F. Warren Howe, Jr.
Frank J. Lepreau, Jr.
‡George McCandlish
*Helen Perisho
Ralph M. Williams

For Five Years

Russell S. Douglas
Seth K. Gifford II
Thomas Perry, Jr.
Virginia Townsend
Kenneth B. Webb

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‡On Moses Brown School Board of Trustees

Mosher Book and Tract Committee

Chairman: EDITH C. WARE

For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
Kathryn R. Forbes	Mabel G. Bailey	Donald E. Gates
Christopher L. Knowlton	Karl H. Erickson	Barbara Gerrish
Florence M. Selleck	Edith J. Teague	Edith C. Ware

New England Friends Home Committee

Chairman: FINLEY H. PERRY Secretary: FRITZ G. RENKEN
Vice Chairman and Treasurer: HENRY W. STOKES

For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
Finley H. Perry	Donnell W. Boardman	Harold N. Burnham
Fritz G. Renken	Ann M. Glass	Gwendolyn H. Halewood
Edith C. Ware	Henry W. Stokes	Mary D. Maher
Louisa White	Louise Wood	Edward A. White

Nominating Committee (Appointed by the Quarterly Meetings)

Chairman: REBECCA G. WILLIAMS
Assistant Chairman: DOROTHY W. GIFFORD

	For One Year	For Two Years
Connecticut Valley:	Marion Jessell	Fritz Semmler
Dover:	Mildred S. Richardson	Eleanor B. Dryer
Falmouth:	Marian P. Cartland	Herbert Kimball
Northwest:	Rebecca G. Williams	Nancy Booth
Rhode Island	Ambrose Meyers	Dorothy W. Gifford
Salem:	J. Franklin Pineo	Annie Dernier
Sandwich:	Margaret Douglas	Karl Erickson
Smithfield:	Melita B. Fisher	Edith Paine
Vassalboro:	Eleanor Wilson	Margaret Cates

Peace Committee

Chairman: IRA M. WINE Secretary: GWENDOLYN H. HALEWOOD

For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
Harold J. Chance	Parker Donham	Elizabeth B. Knowlton
Ralph E. Cook	Karl H. Erickson	Cornelius Kruse
Davis Jackson	Gwendolyn H. Halewood	Caroline A. Price
Elizabeth L. Jones	Gregory Harrison	John A. Sullivan
Marjorie Laufman	Theodore Paullin	Ira M. Wine

Representatives on

American Friends Service Committee, Incorporated

160 N. 15th St., Philadelphia 2, Pa.
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For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
Louisa R. Alger	Katherine B. Perry	Daisy N. Newman
Russell D. Brooks	J. Franklin Pineo	Don O. Noel, Jr.
Theodore Paullin	Henry B. Stevens	Corwin Perisho

Friends Committee on National Legislation

245 2nd St., N. E., Washington 2, D. C.
Chairman: DAVID L. CURTIS

For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
David L. Curtis	Thyra Jane Foster	Chester C. Smith
Penelope M. Turton	Margaret P. Welch	Nancy Booth

Friends Council on Education: Miriam E. Jones

Friends World Committee, American Section and Fellowship Council

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For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
Thomas R. Bodine	Miriam E. Jones	Margaret P. Welch
Julianna R. Perry	Caleb A. Smith	Ruth D. B. White

Quaker Men: John H. Cann

Board of Directors of the Massachusetts Council of Churches:
Chester C. Smith

State Board of United Church Women of Massachusetts:
Florence M. Selleck

Social Concerns Committee

Chairman: JOHN R. KELLAM Secretary: ANNE FOSTER

For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
Donnell W. Boardman	Stanley L. Aldrich	Gordon M. Browne
David L. Curtis	Stuart Chapin	Philip H. Cornell
Frances A. Howland	Ann de Nevers	Virginia C. Little
John R. Kellam	Anne Foster	Joseph Tardiff
Grace F. Luder	Adrian Knuttel	Silas B. Weeks

Student Loan Committee

Convenor: FLORENCE M. SELLECK

For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
Marian P. Cartland	Doris P. Mowry	George I. Bliss
Florence M. Selleck	Edith J. Teague	Karl H. Erickson
Rebecca G. Williams	Russell H. White	Mary Elizabeth Jones

Women's Missionary Society (Appoints its own officers)
President: Beatrice Kimball
Vice President: Esther Weed
Corresponding Secretary: Grace F. Luder
Recording Secretary: Dorothy J. Averill
Treasurer: Amy S. Hayden
Assistant Treasurer: Ruth D. B. White
Auditor: Mary V. Myers
Secretaries of Departments:
Literature: Marion Jessell
Missionary Education: Mildred S. Richardson
Youth and Children's Work: Bernice C. S. Douglas
Stewardship: Annie S. Dernier

Nominating Committee:
For One Year: Grace P. Bliss
For Two Years: Gertrude Lawrence
For Three Years: Ruth Mellor

Young Friends Committee

Young Friends Officers appointed by Young Friends:
Clerk: Stephen Curwood
Recording Clerk: Margaret Copeland
Treasurer: Eva Lilienthal
Young Friends Committee of North America: Lee Douglas, Harrison Smith
Arrangements Committee: Robinson Lilienthal, Chairman, Caltha Crowe, Nina Leberge, Elizabeth Aldrich, Wendy Kellam, Sally Browne, Diane Ross, Lea Estes

Adult Members appointed by the Christian Education Committee: Carleton Cates, Ruth Osborne, John Smith, David Wetherell, Auriel White

DEPARTMENTS

Education Department

Chairman: GEORGE I. BLISS

Members at Large appointed by the Yearly Meeting

For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
Virginia Phillips	George I. Bliss	Elizabeth F. Gifford

From Yearly Meeting Committees:
Archives and Historical Records: Thyra Jane Foster
China Camp: Richard S. Gove
Christian Education: Jane Cook
Moses Brown School and Lincoln School: Willard H. Ware
Mosher Book and Tract: Edith Ware
Student Loan:
Young Friends: Stephen Curwood

Representatives from:
Beacon Hill Friends House:
Cambridge School:
Friends Council on Education: Miriam E. Jones
The Meeting School:
Oak Grove School:

Finance Department

Chairman: ERNEST H. WEED

Members at Large appointed by the Yearly Meeting

For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
Charles W. Wood	Edward A. White	Clarence A. Jessell

From Yearly Meeting Committees:
Auditors of the Permanent Funds:
Equalization Fund: Maud Smith
Finance: Finley Perry
Investments and Permanent Funds: Edward A. White

Outreach Department

Chairman: GREGORY W. HARRISON

Members at Large appointed by the Yearly Meeting

For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
Gregory Harrison	Robert N. Cool	Herbert Kimball

From Yearly Meeting Committees:
Meetings and Extension:
Missionary:
Five Years Meeting: Ernest H. Weed
Friends General Conference: Margaret A. Cates

Representatives from:
Friends World Committee and Fellowship Council:
Quaker Men:
Women's Missionary Society: Beatrice Kimball
Woolman Hill:

Peace and Social Concerns Department

Chairman: MARION M. JESSELL

Members at Large appointed by the Yearly Meeting:

For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
Gordon M. Browne, Jr.	Marion M. Jessell	Caroline A. Price

From Yearly Meeting Committees:
New England Friends Home: Finley H. Perry
Peace: Gwendolyn Halewood
Social Concerns: Philip Cornell

Representatives from:
American Friends Service Committee: Daisy N. Newman
Friends Committee on National Legislation: Thyra Jane Foster

The Clerk of the Yearly Meeting and the Field Secretary are ex officio members of all Yearly Meeting Departments and Committees, and of the Permanent Board. Department chairmen are ex officio members of all committees within their departments.

LOCAL MEETING BIBLE SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENTS

Acton: Sibylle Barlow
Allen's Neck: Mary Davoll
Bolton: Vaughn Henry
Burlington:
Cambridge: Marion Smith
China: Roy Grindle
Concord:
Dartmouth: Esther Hawes
Dover: Shirley Leslie
Durham: Deane Rollins
Falmouth: Cornelia Edwards
Forest Avenue: Glenice Hutchins
Gonic:
Hanover: Mamye Noda
Hartford: Toos Knuttel
Dorothy Meshenuk

Lawrence: Vivian Strecker
Lynn: Lucille Corthell
Mattapoisett: Helen Bowman
Middle Connecticut Valley:
Middletown:
New Haven: Mary Bakke
North Fairfield: Eva Otis
Parsonsfield: Ramona E. Day
Providence: Samir A. Haddad
Smithfield: Lloyd Arnold
South Yarmouth: Mary D. Maher
Storrs:
Vassalboro: Frank Edmondson
Weare: Miriam Osborne
Wellesley: Sylvia Perry
Westport: Edwin Hinshaw
Windham: Enora Jordan
Winthrop: Leah B. Kenney
Worcester: Edith C. Ware

QUARTERLY MEETING BIBLE SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENTS

Conn. Valley: Elsa Cullen
Dover: Shirley Leslie
Falmouth: Frances P. York
Northwest: Barbara Dyck
Rhode Isl.: Elizabeth F. Gifford
Salem: Virginia G. Meuse
Sandwich: Herbert Stevens, Jr.
Smithfield: Doris Mowry
Vassalboro: Marion E. Jones

RECORDED MINISTERS

New England Yearly Meeting of Friends

Connecticut Valley:	Moses Bailey Russell D. Brooks	Alexander C. Purdy W. Glenn Roberts
Dover:	Oliver M. Frazer	
Falmouth:	George R. Hutchinson Peter P. Jonitis	Herbert Kimball
Rhode Island:	Ann Gidley Lowry	Harold W. Myers
Salem:	Leslie H. Barrett Harold J. Chance W. Carleton Jones Walter R. Miles Lawrence B. Moore	Katharine H. Paton Henry H. Perry George A. Selleck James J. Toothaker James Wild
Sandwich:	William C. Hartnett	Ernest H. Weed
Smithfield:	Robert N. Cool Agnes W. Harrison George Jones, Jr.	Gren A. Pierrel Willard H. Ware
Vassalboro:	Lelia E. Taylor	

DIRECTORY OF MEETINGS
CONNECTICUT VALLEY QUARTERLY MEETING

Storrs Olds, Clerk. Held on the first Saturday or Sunday in February, May, August, and October. In February at West Hartford, in May at New Haven, in August at Guilford or Rindge, in October with Middle Connecticut Valley Monthly Meeting. Hours of meeting vary. Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel the same day or evening before, George I. Bliss, Clerk.

Meeting	Location	Sunday Worship	Sunday School	Business Meeting	Clerk & Workers
Guilford Monthly Meeting	64 Fair Street Guilford, Conn.	10:00		Third Wednesday, 16 River St., 8:00 P.M.	John E. Kaltenbach, Clerk
Hartford Monthly Meeting	144 S. Quaker Lane W. Harford 7, Conn.	10:00	11:00	Second Thursday except July and August. 7:45 P.M.	W. Wendell Clepper, Clerk
Middle Conn. Val. Monthly Mtg.	The Grange Hall, corner of Main and Whitney Sts., Amherst,, Mass.	11:00	10:15	Second Wednesday. 7:45 P.M.	John H. Foster, Clerk
Gould Farm Preparative Mtg.	Gould Farm, home of Lester Clarke, Pleasant St., South Lee, Mass.	11:00			
Greenfield Mtg. For Worship	Home of Lucia Russell, 27 George St., Greenfield, Mass.	11:00 Third Sunday			
South Hadley Mtg. for Worship	South Hadley, Mass. (Contact Corres.)	4:30 Once a month			David Holden, Corres.
Middletown Monthly Mtg.	Downey House, Wesleyan U., High St. Middletown, Conn.	11:00	11:15	Homes of members, 3rd Sunday, 8 P.M.	Jean Cochrane, Clerk

Monadnock Monthly Mtg.	The Meeting School Thomas Rd., Rindge, New Hampshire	10:15		2nd Sunday after Worship	Joel Hayden, Clerk
New Haven Monthly Mtg.	Faculty Room, Conn. Hall, Yale U.	9:45	9:45	2nd Sunday, 11:00 (except June-Sept.)	Elizabeth C. Musgrave, Clerk
Pleasant Street Monthly Mtg.	901 Pleasant St., Worcester, Mass.	11:00	11:00	2nd Thursday, 7:30 P.M.	Francis J. W. Wheeler, Clerk
Storrs Monthly Meeting	Rt. 195, Storrs, Conn. Across from Storrs Grammar School	11:00	11:00	3rd Sunday, 7:30 P.M.	Clay Steinberger, Clerk

DOVER QUARTERLY MEETING

Ruth F. Osborne, Clerk. Held on the fourth Saturday in April, August, and October. In April at Dover, in August at Weare (Henniker Meeting House), and in October at Gonic. Worship at 11:00 A.M., business meeting at 1:00 P.M. Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel at 10:30 the same day with Marian Meader as clerk.

Meeting	Location	Sunday Worship	Sunday School	Business Meeting	Clerk & Workers
Dover Monthly Meeting				2nd Tuesday, 7:30	Mildred S. Richardson, Clerk
Dover Preparative Meeting	Central Ave. at Trakey St., Dover New Hampshire	11:00	11:00	Following Worship 2nd Sunday in Jan., April, July, Sept.	Eleanor B. Dryer, Clerk
Gonic Preparative Meeting	Maple St., Gonic, New Hampshire	10:30		1st Sunday, 11:30	Edith Teague, Clerk
Weare Monthly Meeting	Federated Church North Weare, N. H.	9:45 (except July)	11:00	1st Friday, 8 p.m., homes of members	Miriam G. Osborne, Clerk
Concord Preparative Mtg.	2 Thorndike St., Concord, N. H., Sept-June	10:00	10:00	Sunday before first Friday, after worship	David L. Curtis, Clerk

FALMOUTH QUARTERLY MEETING

Ira M. Wine, Clerk. Held on the last Saturday in January, May, August and October. In January at Oak St., Portland, Me., in May at East Parsonsfield, in August at Durham, in October at Windham. Worship at 11 a.m. and business meeting at 1:00 p.m. Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel the same day at 10 a.m. with Vivian M. Woodbury as clerk.

Meeting	Location	Sunday Worship	Sunday School	Business Meeting	Clerk & Workers
Durham Monthly Meeting	South Durham, Me. Rt. 125, between Freeport and Lisbon Falls	10:00	11:00	3rd Wednesday, 7:30	Elizabeth W. Jonitis, Clerk Herbert Kimball, Pastor
Falmouth Monthly Meeting	83 Oak St., Portland, Maine	10:45 (except July and August)	10:45	3rd Tuesday, 7:30, except June-Aug.	Albert R. Moore, Clerk Earl K. Sweatland, Pastor
Forest Ave. Monthly Mtg.	1837 Forest Ave., Portland, Maine	10:30 Summer 9:30 (mid-June — Sept.)		2nd Thursday, 8 p.m., homes of members	Virginia M. Phillips, Clerk
Parsonsfield Monthly Mtg.	East Parsonsfield, Maine	10:30 Summer	11:45	Held at the call of the Clerk	Ramona E. Day, Clerk
Sandwich Monthly Meeting	North Sandwich, New Hampshire	10:30 July-August		Held at the call of the Clerk	Marion I. Spaulding, Clerk
Windham Monthly Meeting	Windham Center, Maine, Route 202	9:00	10:00	3rd Sunday, 10	Carolyn Small, Clerk

NORTHWEST QUARTERLY MEETING

Henry Williams, Clerk. Held at Farm and Wilderness Camp, West Bridgewater, Vermont, September 14-15, 1963; Bennington, Vermont, December 7-8, 1963; Waterman Lounge, Burlington, Vermont, March 7-8, 1964; Farm and Wilderness Camp, West Bridgewater, Vermont, May 30-31, 1964. Meeting for Worship at 11 a.m. on Sunday. Meeting for business at 1:30 p.m. Meeting on Ministry and Counsel the evening of the first date at 8:00 with Arthur Armstrong as clerk. Consult clerk for place of meeting in Bennington.

Meeting	Location	Sunday Worship	Sunday School	Business Meeting	Clerk & Workers
Bennington Monthly Mtg.	Old Bennington School House, Rt. 9 Bennington, Vt.	3:00		4th Sunday, after worship.	Marion Smith, Clerk
Burlington Monthly Mtg.	179 N. Prostpect St. Burlington, Vt.	11:00	11:00	1st Sunday, alternately 12:00 & 1:30 p.m., Sept. through May.	Richard L. Naeye, Clerk
Plainfield Mtg. for Worship	Alan Walker home Martin Meadow Rd., Plainfield, Vt.	11:00			
Hanover Monthly Mtg.	Christian Union Lounge, Dartmouth College, Hanover, N. H.	10:45 School year	10:45	1st Sunday, 2 p.m.	William Chambers, Clerk
	William Chambers Home, Chambers Road, Hanover	9:30 Summer			

RHODE ISLAND QUARTERLY MEETING

Edward A. White, Clerk. Held on the third Saturday in January, April, July and October. In January at Providence; in April at Westerly; in July at North Dartmouth, Mass; and in October at Saylesville, R. I. Starting at 1:30 p.m. with supper and evening session in January and October; starting usually at 10:30 with lunch and afternoon meeting in April and July. Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel the same day with Thyra Jane Foster as clerk.

Meeting	Location	Sunday Worship	Sunday School	Business Meeting	Clerk & Workers
North Dartmouth Monthly Mtg.	State Road, Rt. 6 North Dartmouth, Mass., near Smith Mills	11:00		Last Sunday in March, June, Sept. and Dec.,, after worship.	Marian B. Goodwin, Clerk
Providence Monthly Mtg.	99 Morris Ave. Providence, R. I.	11:00	10:00	Even months, 2nd Thursday, 7:30; odd months, 2nd Sunday, 2 p.m.	Harold W. Myers, Clerk
Saylesville Prep. Mtg.	Great Rd., Saylesville, R. I.	11:00		Held at call of Clerk. Monthly Meeting held in Saylesville in May, July, Sept. and November.	J. Rudolph Metz, Clerk
Westerly Monthly Meeting	57 Elm St., Westerly, R. I.	11:00 July-Sept., 10:30		Last Sunday in March, June, Sept., Dec., 12:00	Marjorie B. Taylor, Clerk

SALEM QUARTERLY MEETING

Norman Constantineau, Clerk. Held on the third Saturday of October at Lynn and the third Sunday of May at Wellesley. Worship at 11 a.m., business at 1:30 p.m. Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel at 10 a.m. the same day with Dorothy J. Averill as clerk.

Meeting	Location	Sunday Worship	Sunday School	Business Meeting	Clerk & Workers
Amesbury Monthly Mtg.	Friend & Greenleaf Sts., Amesbury, Mass.	2nd & 4th Sundays 10:45 June-Sept.		1st Thursday, 14 Beacon St., Amesbury, 7 p.m.	Dorothy J. Averill, Clerk
	Averill Home, 14 Beacon St., Amesbury	Oct.-May			
Cambridge Monthly Mtg.	5 Longfellow Park, Cambridge, Mass.	9:30 & 11:00	9:30 11:00	2nd Thursday, 7:30	Roderick Firth, Clerk George A. Selleck, Secretary
Hingham Prep. Mtg.	New England Friends Home, Turkey Hill Lane, Hingham, Mass.	10:30		Time & place at call of clerk	Fritz G. Renken, Clerk
Acton Prep. Mtg.	Women's Club Building, Acton Center, Mass.	10:00 7:30 last Sunday		Last Sunday, 8:30 p.m.	Ellen C. Bell, Clerk
Boston Meeting for Worship	6 Chestnut St. Boston, Mass.	11:00			Ernest H. Weed, Corres.
Lawrence Monthly Mtg.	45 Avon St. Lawrence, Mass.	11:00	10:00	1st Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.	Walter Goddard, Clerk Glenn Douglas, Pastor
Lynn Monthly Meeting	68 Silsbee St., off Broad St., Lynn, Mass.	11:00	9:45	2nd Wednesday, 8 p.m.	Clayton Spinney, Clerk Gregory Harrison, Pastor
Wellesley Monthly Mtg.	Ten Acre School, Benvenue St., Wellesley, Mass.	10:30	10:30	3rd Thursday, at homes of members, 7:45 p.m.	Garrett S. Hoag, Clerk

SANDWICH QUARTERLY MEETING

Donald C. McLeod, Clerk. Held on the second Saturday in January, April, July and October. July 1963 at West Falmouth, October at Swansea, January 1964 at New Bedford, April at Allen's Neck, and July 1964 at Smith Neck. Worship at 11 a.m. with business following. Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel at 10 a.m. the same day with Frank J. Lepreau, Jr. as clerk.

Meeting	Location	Sunday Worship	Sunday School	Business Meeting	Clerk & Workers
Allen's Neck Monthly Mtg.	Horseneck Road, Dartmouth, Mass.	9:45	11:00	4th Wednesday, 8 p.m.	Mary Davoll, Clerk James J. Toothaker, Pastor
Dartmouth Monthly Mtg.	Smith Neck Rd., S. Dartmouth, Mass.	10:00	9:00	1st Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.	Cora Tripp, Clerk Ellsworth White, Pastor
New Bedford Monthly Mtg.	Spring St., New Bedford, Mass.			3rd Sunday in June, Sept., Dec., 2:30 p.m.	Bertha Pierce, Clerk
New Bedford Prep. Mtg.	Spring St., New Bedford, Mass.	11:00		At call of clerk	Ida M. Mesner, Clerk Hinson V. Howlett, Pastor
Long Plain Prep. Mtg.	Main St., Acushnet, Mass.			1st Wednesday after 2nd Thurs. at Acushnet in July; 3rd Sat. in April & October at Mattapoisett, 11 a.m.	Bertha Pierce, Clerk

Long Plain Part. Mtg.	Main St., Acushnet, Mass.	7:30 p.m. 2nd Wed., summer			Bessie H. Martin, Corres. Hinson Howlett, Pastor
Mattapoisett Part. Mtg.	Route 6, 8 miles east of New Bedford, Mass.	11:00	10:00		Cynthia J. Power, Corres. Earle D. Wilson, Worker
Sandwich Monthly Meeting				Held at call of Clerk	Gordon M. Browne, Jr., Corres.
Sandwich Prep. Mtg.	East Sandwich, Mass., off Rt. 6A	11:00, 1st Sunday in August			
Yarmouth Prep. Mtg.	North Main St., South Yarmouth, Mass.	10:00	10:50	Last Sunday, after Worship.	David Douglas, Clerk
West Falmouth Prep. Mtg.	West Falmouth; Mass.	11:00 July & Aug.			Cecelia H. Fuglister, Clerk
Swansea Monthly Meeting	Prospect St., Somerset, Mass., 1 mi. north of Rt. 6.	11:00		Held at call of Clerk	Dorothy F. Williamson, Clerk
Westport Monthly Meeting	Main Road, Central Village, Mass.	10:45	9:30	2nd Sunday after Worship	Frank J. Lepreau, Jr., Clerk

SMITHFIELD QUARTERLY MEETING

Willard H. Ware, Clerk. Held on the third Saturday in April, July, and October. In April at Worcester, Mass., in July at the old Bolton meeting house in Old Sturbridge Village, Sturbridge, Mass. (starts with picnic lunch at 12:00) and in October at Woonsocket, R. I. Worship at 2:30 and business meeting at 3:30. Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel at 1:30 p.m. with Lloyd C. Arnold as clerk.

Meeting	Location	Sunday Worship	Sunday School	Business Meeting	Clerk & Workers
Bolton Monthly Meeting	Federated at Unitarian Church, Bolton, Mass.	11:00	10:00	Held at call of Clerk	Margaret Ware, Clerk Howard P. Davis, Pastor
Smithfield Meeting	126 Smithfield Rd. Woonsocket, R. I.	11:00	9:45	Last Friday, 7:30 p.m.	Melita B. Fisher, Clerk
Worcester Monthly Mtg.	19 Oxford St., at Chatham St., Worcester, Mass.	11:00	10:00	2nd Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.	Clayton Drown, Clerk Rutherford Everest, Pastor

VASSALBORO QUARTERLY MEETING

George F. Cates, Clerk. Held on the first Saturday in February, May, August, and October, and on the second Sunday in November. February at East Vassalboro, Me., May at Winthrop Center, August at South China, October at North Fairfield and November at Oak Grove School, Vassalboro. Worship at 11 a.m. business meeting at 1:30 p.m.; in November worship is at 2 p.m., business meeting at 3 p.m. Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel at 1 p.m. the same day with Robert E. Owen as clerk.

Meeting	Location	Sunday Worship	Sunday School	Business Meeting	Clerk & Workers
China Monthly Meeting	Community Church, South China, Maine, just off Rt. 202	10:30	11:30	Wednesday after 2nd Thursday, 8 p.m.	Marion E. Jones, Clerk David Van Strein, Pastor
North Fairfield Monthly Mtg.	N. Fairfield, Me., Rt. 104, 2½ mi. north of Fairfield Ctr.	10:30 except winter	11:30	3rd Sunday, 12:00 April-November	Leona Stevens, Clerk Lelia E. Taylor, Pastor
Oak Grove Monthly Mtg.	Oak Grove School, Vassalboro, Me.	7:30 p.m.		3rd Tuesday, 7 p.m. except sum.	Robert E. Owen, Clerk
Vassalboro Monthly Mtg.	Upper Pleasant St., East Vassalboro, Me.	10:00	11:00	2nd Sunday, at homes of members, 8 p.m.	Annabel I. Cates, Clerk Claude Nutter, Pastor
Winthrop Monthly Mtg.	Winthrop Center, Me., Rt. 135, 4 mi. east of Winthrop	11:00 (10:00 summer)	10:00	Last Sunday, 7:30 p.m.	Hazel C. Foster, Clerk Leland P. Bechtel, Pastor

FRIENDS MEETING IN NEW ENGLAND
BELONGING TO OTHER YEARLY MEETINGS

Meeting	Location	Sunday Worship	Clerk or Correspondent
Monkton Ridge Monthly Meeting (N. Y.)	Monkton Ridge, Vermont	9:30	Marjorie Lawrence, Clerk
Newport, R. I. (Ohio)	21 Farewell St.	11:00	David Jackson
Newtown Preparative Meeting (N. Y.)	Queen St., Newtown, Conn.	11:00	Kirstin Tribby, Clerk
Portsmouth, R. I. (Ohio)	Middle Road at Hedley St.	11:00	Marguerite Briggs, Clerk
Stamford Monthly Meeting (N. Y.)	Roxbury Rd. & Westover Rd., at Den Rd. exit of Merritt Pkwy., Stamford, Conn.	10:00	Peter Bentley, Clerk
Wilton Monthly Meeting (N. Y.)	Kingdom and Reservoir Rds., Wilton, Conn.	11:00	Bernice Merritt, Clerk

OTHER MEETINGS FOR WORSHIP

Camden, Maine	Contact Corres.	10:30 (9:30 July- August)	Ralph E. Cook, Corres.
Putney, Vermont	Home of Jon Hendrick	2:00	Nathaniel Hendricks, Corres.
Steuben, Maine	Home of George Fallon, Labrador Road	10:00	George Fallon, Corres.

OCCASIONAL FRIENDS MEETINGS FOR WORSHIP IN NEW ENGLAND

Location of Meeting House	Hour of Worship	Contact Person
Adams, Mass., Friend Street	First Sunday in September, 3:00	Lucy A. Booth
Casco, Maine, Quaker Ridge	Each Sunday during July and August at 2:30	Betsy Maxfield Miller
Dartmouth, Mass., Apponegansett, near Russells Mills	Last Sunday in July at 3:00	Cora Tripp
Henniker, N. H.	First Friday in August at 10:30	Henry T. Osborne
Little Compton, R. I.	Last Sunday in August at 3:00	Carleton C. Brownell
Jamestown, R. I.	Each Sunday in July and August at 10:30	Catharine M. Wright
Nantucket, Mass., Fair Street	Contact Correspondent	Hanna D. Monaghan
North Pembroke, Mass. Junction of Rts. 3 & 139	Third Sunday in July and second Sunday in September at 10:30 a.m.	Margaret C. Dumas
South Uxbridge, Mass., Rt. 146	Second Sunday in June and October at 3:00	Melita B. Fisher
Unity, N. H., Quaker City, 7 mi. south of Claremont	First Sunday in August at 11:00 a.m.	Henry T. Osborne
West Epping, N. H.	First Sunday in October at 2:00 p.m.	Mary Blair

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1. The three hundred and fourth session of the New England Yearly Meeting of Friends meeting at Pembroke College in Providence, Rhode Island, June 16 - 21, 1964.

> "When you come to your meetings...what do you do? Do you then gather together bodily only, and kindle a fire, compassing yourselves about with the sparks of your own kindling, and so please yourselves, and walk in the 'Light of your own fire and the sparks which you have kindled?' Or rather, do you sit down in True Silence, resting from your own Will and Workings, and waiting upon the Lord, with your minds fixed in that Light wherewith Christ has enlightened you, until the Lord breathes life in you, refresheth you, and prepares you...."
>
> — WILLIAM PENN

2. The Roll of Representatives was called.

CONNECTICUT VALLEY: Dorothy Meshenuk, David McAllester, George I. Bliss, Helen L. Bliss, Agnes Harrison, Rose Schafer, Shirley de Filippis, Jean Cochrane.

DOVER: Ruth Osborne, David Curtis, Eleanor Dryer.

FALMOUTH: Louis Marstaller, Clarabel Marstaller, Virginia Phillips, David Wetherell, Stanley Aldrich, Donna Aldrich, Margaret Wentworth, Herbert Kimball, Beatrice Kimball.

NORTHWEST: Elizabeth Ballard, Kenneth Webb, Rebecca Williams, Henry B. Williams.

RHODE ISLAND: Ruth D. B. White, Alice W. Gidley, Katherine B. Perry, Henry C. Foster.

SALEM: Jane Burgess, Alice C. Gifford, Dorothy J. Averill, George Selleck, Edna Haviland, Frances Gove, J. Franklin Pineo, Ruth Pineo, Finley Perry, Sylvia Perry, Eve Carey, Annie Dernier.

SANDWICH: James Toothaker, Vernah Toothaker, Ernest H. Weed, Philip Cornell, Lillian Cornell, Ida Mesner, Ruth Martocci, Ethel Hathaway, Audrey Chace, Margaret Douglas.

SMITHFIELD: Robert N. Cool, Bessie Ewen, Nellie Fisher, Gregory Harrison, Elizabeth L. Jones, Ruth Smith, Edith Ware, Willard Ware, Melita Fisher.

VASSALBORO: Malvena Robbins, Hazel Foster, Jane Cook, Eleanor Bailey, Miriam Jones, Robert Owen, John Taylor, Helen Meader, Grace Frost.

3. Visiting Friends were welcomed. William Hubben, Philadelphia Yearly Meeting, is representing the Friends General Conference. Herbert Huffman and David O. Stanfield, Indiana Yearly Meeting, and Meta Ruth Ferguson, Western Yearly Meeting, are representing the Five Years Meeting. Habil Wajuli is from East Africa Yearly Meeting. Gilbert Perleberg is from New York Yearly Meeting. David Hartsough, Philadelphia Yearly Meeting, is representing the Friends Committee on National Legislation. Barclay and Anna Harvey Jones, Philadelphia Yearly Meeting, are now residing in Vermont and have been with us.

4. A message from the Junior Yearly Meeting brought greetings from forty-five Juniors who are meeting during these sessions and invite us to join them when way opens. Bruce Cochrane thanked the Yearly Meeting for allowing them to join us at the opening of New England Yearly Meeting.

5. The Summary of the Minutes of the Permanent Board was read by the Clerk, Winslow Osborne, and follows:

MINUTES OF THE PERMANENT BOARD SUMMARY, 1963-1964

Since the 1963 sessions of Yearly Meeting, three regular meetings of the Permanent Board have been held. One was held on June 23, 1963 with thirty-three members present; one on December 7, 1963 with twenty-seven members present; and one on June 16, 1964 with twenty-six members present.

Winslow H. Osborne was reappointed presiding clerk and John H. Foster was reappointed recording clerk.

A memorial to John B. Folsom was read and added to the Board's records.

The Board approved the recommendation that the real property of the former Maple Grove Monthly Meeting in Maine continue to be held by the Yearly Meeting which automatically became the owner of the property when the meeting was laid down. The records of the Maple Grove Meeting are to be placed in the Maine Historical Library in Portland and the deeds to the property in the Moses Brown vault.

The Board asked the Executive Council to proceed to hire a youth worker after hearing reports on the progress of efforts to obtain financial support for this project and plans for locating a candidate for the job.

A report of a decree of the Rhode Island Supreme Court permitting certain changes in the use of the Knowles Fund was given to the Board. The Board also heard a report from the Missionary Committee on the selection of recipients of grants from this Fund. The Committee was asked to continue to grant these funds giving due consideration to the suggestion that grants should be limited to persons attending one of the thirty-two Negro colleges listed by the United Negro College Fund as being of high scholastic quality.

The Board appointed David Spinney as Yearly Meeting Representative on the Board of Christian Education of the Five Years Meeting to fill the unexpired term of Helen Bliss.

At the meeting of the Permanent Board held on June 16 in Providence, George I. Bliss reported for the Executive Council that an active youth program would begin this fall with the appointment of Edwin Hinshaw as youth worker. He will be on part-time appointment until he completes his graduate studies in Boston. Approximately $16,000 has been raised for this work for a two-year period.

It was also reported that Meaderboro preparative meeting of Dover Monthly Meeting has been laid down. An independent Meaderboro Community Church has been established and the meetinghouse property has been transferred to the new organization by Dover Monthly Meeting.

WINSLOW H. OSBORNE, Clerk

6. The Report of the Executive Council was spoken to by its Chairman, George I. Bliss. The Yearly Meeting approved the action of the Council in appointing Edwin Hinshaw as Young Friends Worker with a budget totaling $6900 for the first year. Although Edwin Hinshaw is completing his education he will put a full measure of "Part Time Work" on this matter that is so close to our hearts and represents the future for our Yearly Meeting.

"The Executive Council approved the following financial arrangements with the Young Friends Worker, Edwin Hinshaw."

Salary	$3200	
Blue Cross	140	(approx.)
Retirement	160	
Housing	1500	
Travel	1400	
Office equip.	500	
	$6900	

It is approved.

The departmental structure of the Yearly Meeting has been studied and perhaps does not serve our need at this time.

"The Executive Council recommends to the Yearly Meeting that the departmental organization of the Yearly Meeting be eliminated. Thus, each committee formerly assigned to a department would be responsible to the Yearly Meeting through the Executive Council. It is further recommended that the Executive Council be retained and that its membership continue representation from each Quarterly Meeting, and that four persons be appointed each year for a term of three years each. In addition to those appointed, the following shall be members of the Council: Clerk of the Yearly Meeting, Clerk of the Permanent Board, Clerk of Yearly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel, the Field Secretary, Chairman of the Arrangements Committee, and Clerk of the Young Friends Committee. Executive Council meeting notices shall be sent to all committee chairmen in order that they might feel free to bring committee concerns to the Council. Yearly Meeting sessions will continue to be the responsibility of the Executive Council." It is approved. Each committee should feel that concerns may be brought directly to this Council or presented through its individual members. It was urged that the Executive Council study further its relationship to the committees of the Yearly Meeting.

7. Four Friends from Ohio Yearly Meeting of the Friends Church in Damascus, Ohio, Leonard and Daisy Borton, Chester G. and Evangeline Stanley, were welcomed. Leonard Borton is pastor of the Friends Church in Battle Creek, Michigan and Chester Stanley is General Superintendent of the Ohio Yearly Meeting, Damascus.

8. Epistles which were mentioned as being a part of the "heavenly correspondence" were read. We heard from Friends in New Zealand, Canada, and the Netherlands.

9. The report of the Discipline Revision Committee was introduced by George Selleck. It had been the plan of this committee to present a completed revision but it is not yet ready for that step. Progress was reported and Part I, the Queries, and three chapters of Part II are before us.

Some discussion of the notification of persons who are being considered for recognition as Ministers and also whether persons may resign from that recognition was held.

REPORT OF THE DISCIPLINE REVISION COMMITTEE

Your committee appointed to revise the Book of Faith and Practice has met seven times during the past year, five of which have been two-day sessions. We have by no means completed the task assigned us, but this year we are presenting to the Yearly Meeting sufficient material to let Friends see what the committee is trying to do. This consists of two parts published in two mimeographed booklets.

One is a revised draft of the Part II on **Practice and Procedure**, and the **Queries**, which was presented to the Yearly Meeting in 1962. This draft incorporates the changes proposed to the Yearly Meeting last year, along with the changes that the Yearly Meeting suggested as desirable. In addition certain other changes were brought to our attention during the year which in the judgement of the committee should also be made. We hope that Friends will examine this draft carefully, and that this Part II of the Discipline may be in a form suitable for final approval and adoption.

The other booklet, Part I on **Faith and Life,** is only partially completed. Nevertheless, the committee feels it should present that portion of this section that it has ready.

The content of Part I is on the whole quite different from what appeared in our Discipline of 1950. We are indebted to Thomas Bassett of Burlington Meeting for the excellent Historical Statement. We are retaining in a shorter form the chapter on "Illustrative Spiritual Experiences of Friends." But we go into more detail than did the old Discipline in describing the various aspects of the Quaker faith. Chapters 3 to 6 in Part I consist mostly of quotations from varying points of view. Of these only chapter 3 is ready. But we hope that Friends will be able to judge from this one chapter the type of presentation we expect to make in the others.

At the time of the reunion of the two Yearly Meetings in 1945 there was a wide variety of points of view represented among the various Friends and Meetings. The success of the union lay in the unity we have been able to achieve over and above our many differences. The revision committee itself reflects these differences of views. We have tried, therefore, to work out a Discipline which presents not one point of view only but several, representing the real differences among us. If Friends find contradictions in what we present, we hope that they will recognize that we are endeavoring to take into account the differing ways of looking at our New England Quaker faith and practices.

We hope that Friends will examine this Part I carefully, for we on the committee are anxious to learn whether you feel that it will serve the needs of the Yearly Meeting.

In addition to Parts I and II the committee expects to have several appendices. One will include copies of various forms needed for marriage, transfers of membership, etc. Another will include copies of the important laws in the several New England states relating to Friends.

The committee expects to have its preliminary draft of the whole Discipline completed by the Yearly Meeting in 1965, and therefore welcomes comments now as well as during the coming year as guides in our work.

10. Ernest Weed explained that since the Finance Department has not met as a Department, the reports will be presented by individual members.

John S. Taylor gave the report of the Treasurer. We appreciate his detailed work, hardly able to realize the number of hours of effort represented in this area.

REPORT OF THE TREASURER
NEW ENGLAND YEARLY MEETING OF FRIENDS

June 1, 1963 through May 31, 1964

Summary of Budget Account

Budget contributions from Meetings	$24,694.25
Total budget adopted June, 1963	28,491.00

Amount received from Meetings last year	21,968.98
Percentage increase of receipts from Meetings this year over last	10.12%
Total budget expenses (including transfers)	27,468.95
Percentage of budget actually received (including income from invested funds, Women's Missionary Society, Etc.)	96.85%
Total budget receipts	27,594.17

RECEIPTS

Receipts for budget:
Receipts from Meetings

Connecticut Valley	
Guilford	$ 155.00
Hartford	2,460.00
Middle Conn. Valley	500.00
Middletown	200.00
Monadnock	100.00
New Haven	280.00
Pleasant Street	150.00
Storrs	150.00
	$3,995.00
Dover	
Dover Monthly Meeting	
Dover Part. Mtg.	$ 100.00
Gonic	112.95
Weare	47.00
	$ 259.95
Falmouth	
Durham	$1,235.78
Falmouth (Oak St.)	790.35
Forest Avenue	300.00
Parsonsfield	0.00
Sandwich	180.00
Windham	112.92
	$2,619.05
Northwest	
Bennington	$ 50.00
Burlington	412.50
Hanover	360.00
	$ 822.50
Salem	
Amesbury	$ 150.00
Cambridge	5,000.00
Hingham Prep.	0.00
Lawrence	735.00
Lynn	440.00
Wellesley	900.00
	$7,225.00
Rhode Island	
North Dartmouth	$ 275.00
Providence	2,080.00
Westerly	700.00
	$3,055.00
Sandwich	
Allen's Neck	$ 400.00
Dartmouth (Smith Neck)	250.00
New Bedford	
New Bedford Mth. Mtg.	
Preparative Mtg.	860.00
Long Plain	60.00
Mattapoisett	320.00
Sandwich	
East Sandwich	200.00
West Falmouth	12.60
Yarmouth	275.00
Swansea	500.00
Westport	100.00
	$2,977.60
Smithfield	
Bolton	$ 350.00
Smithfield	740.15
Worcester	735.00
	$1,825.15
Vassalboro	
China	$ 310.00
North Fairfield	250.00
Oak Grove	300.00
Vassalboro	705.00
Winthrop	350.00
	$1,915.00
TOTAL RECEIVED FROM MEETINGS	$24,694.25

QUARTERLY MEETING PER CAPITA GIVING FOR BUDGET

	Members	Per Capita	Total
Connecticut Valley	519	$7.70	$ 3,995.00
Dover	208	1.25	259.95
Falmouth	398	6.58	2,619.05
Northwest	94	8.75	822.50
Rhode Island	262	11.66	3,055.00
Salem	784	9.21	7,225.00
Sandwich	472	6.31	2,977.60
Smithfield	264	6.91	1,825.15
Vassalboro	250	7.66	1,915.00
	3,251	$7.34	$24,694.25

Total Received from Meetings	$24,694.25
Income Received from Invested Funds	358.52
Received from Women's Missionary Society	680.00
Income from Missionary Funds	1,296.68
Special Contributions	481.00
Incidental Receipts to Budget	83.72
TOTAL BUDGET RECEIPTS	$27,594.17

Miscellaneous Receipts:

Executive Council (Invested Funds)		$ 53.20
Meetings and Extensions Committee (Invested Funds)		59.94
General Equalization Fund (Contributions)		1,114.00
Mosher Book and Tract Fund (Invested Funds)		547.42
Printing Discipline (Received from sales)		32.15
Student Loan Committee		
Interest from Loans	$ 77.22	
Interest — Cumberland Sav. & Loan	41.24	
Interest — Roger Williams Sav. & Loan	351.92	
Repayment of Loans	1,638.38	2,108.76
S. B. Kirby Fund — Inc. from Invested Funds		83.73
H. Camp Fund — Income from Invested Funds		34.11
J. P. & J. A. Boyce — Income from Invested Funds		38.45
B. F. Knowles Fund		
Interest on Invested Funds	763.62	
Interest on Roger Williams S. & L.	154.34	917.96
George Sturge Fund — Inc. from Invested Funds		931.40
Anna M. Brown Fund		266.04
China Camp — Contributions		125.26
"Standard of the Lord Lifted Up"—Sales		33.14
Rec'd for Rooms and Meals at Yearly Meeting		5,661.25
Youth Worker Contributions		9,305.52
Snack Bar Income		23.64
Special Gifts — Transit		
New Eng. Friends Home	25.00	
Missions	113.76	
Continuation School	30.00	168.76
Southern Christian Leadership Conference		108.95
TOTAL MISCELLANEOUS RECEIPTS		$21,613.68

EXPENDITURES

Budget Expenses		**Budget**	**Refunds**	**Cash Paym'ts**	**Transfer Paym'ts**
Five Yrs. Mtg. Act.		$ 6,000.00		$ 6,000.00	
Five Yrs. Mtg. Expenses, Assess. $1 per member		3,251.00		3,251.00	
Peace Committee		300.00	$32.40	343.91	$ 19.75
Social Concerns		250.00		182.13	
Christian Education Com.		400.00	8.37	211.76	30.00
Junior Yearly Meeting		250.00		69.33	128.25
Frds. Comm. on Nat'l. Legisl.		200.00		200.00	
Friends World Committee and Fellowship Council		350.00		350.00	
Young Friends Committee		150.00		150.00	
Young Friends Yrly. Mtg.		325.00		150.00	127.25
Mtgs. and Ext. Committee		300.00		205.00	
Executive Council		200.00		113.50	
Missionary Committee		50.00		0.00	
Archives & Hist. Records		100.00		100.00	
N. England Friends Home		1,500.00		1,500.00	
China Camp Committee		100.00		100.00	
Five Yrs. Mtg. Committee		100.00		0.00	
Yearly Meeting Departments		100.00		25.00	
Travel Expenses for Repres. of Yearly Mtg. to A.F.S.C., Frds. World Com. and Fellowship Council, F.C.N.L., Five Yrs. Mtg. Boards, and Frds. Gen. Conference Committees		300.00		96.75	
Travel for FYM Repres.		300.00	42.95		342.95
Field Secretary					
Salary		4,300.00		4,300.00	
Retirement Fund		415.00		405.00	
Travel Expense		2,000.00		1,990.57	
Yearly Meeting Office					
Salary	$1,300.00				
Rent	100.00				
Incidentals	916.67	2,400.00		2,316.67	
Treasurers Expense		700.00		657.00	
Printing & Dist. of Min.		850.00		844.00	
Exp. of Yearly Mtg. Sessions		900.00		440.57	384.00
Friends Gen. Conference		250.00		250.00	
Friends Council on Education		100.00		100.00	
Young Friends Worker		2,000.00			2,000.00
Contingencies		50.00		30.00	
Special Gifts to Missions				54.56	
		$28,491.00		$24,436.75	$3,032.20
TOTAL BUDGET DEBITS					$27,468.95

Miscellaneous Expenses

General Equalization Fund — Authorized Transfers		$ 1,517.50
Printing		6.50
Mosher Book and Tract Committee		
Friends Book Store	$132.96	
United Society of Friends Women	18.70	

Quaker Life	30.50	
Friends Book and Supply House	128.78	
Friends Journal	5.00	
The Friend	6.67	
Kenya School	100.00	
Misc. Administration Expense	27.98	450.59
Fund for Printing Discipline		5.50
Student Loan Committee		
New Loans	2,290.00	
Administration Expense	7.92	2,297.92
George Sturge Fund		
Christiansburg Institute	400.00	
Two Scholarships	500.00	900.00
B. F. Knowles Fund		
Expense	880.53	
Meharry Medical	1,000.00	
St. Augustine College	1,000.00	2,880.53
Transit Accounts — Hingham Home	25.00	
Southern Christian Leadership Conference	108.95	
China Camp Gifts	125.26	
Missions	192.37	
Continuation School	30.00	481.58
Snack Bar Expense		
Supplies	13.92	
Young Friends Activities	9.72	23.64
Pembroke College — Rooms and Meals at Yearly Meeting		6,880.50
Youth Worker		
Funds Deposited		5,000.00
Expenses		73.04
TOTAL MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES		$18,999.80
Balance on hand, June 1, 1963	$26,183.00	
Budget receipts	27,594.17	
Miscellaneous receipts	21,613.68	$75,390.85
Budget expenses	24,436.75	
Miscellaneous Expenses	18,999.80	
Cash Adjustment	1.00	43,437.55
On hand, May 31, 1964		$31,953.30
General Equalization Fund	1,386.87	
Fund for Printing Discipline	697.64	
Student Loan Committee	10,331.42	
Field Secretary Retirement Fund	220.00	
Yearly Meeting Budget Account	3,908.94	
Mosher Book and Tract Committee	470.03	
Wayside Pulpit Fund	6.00	
S. B. Kirby Fund	404.82	
J. P. & J. A. Boyce Fund	57.07	
H. Camp Fund	50.64	

Anna M. Brown Fund	2,182.18	
B. F. Knowles Fund	4,794.24	
George Sturge Fund	493.34	
Withheld Income Tax	42.60	
Meetings and Extensions Committee	241.72	
Five Years Meeting Travel Fund	342.95	
Executive Council Misc. Rec.	284.09	
Youth Worker Gifts	9,282.48	
Youth Worker Savings Account Income	11.06	
Youth Worker Budget Allotment	2,000.00	37,208.09
Less Debit Balances — Withholding Adjustment	5.80	
"The Standard of the Lord Lifted Up"	143.18	
Petty Cash	50.00	
Accounts Receivable	19.75	
Youth Worker Demand Deposit	5,011.06	
Transfer — Hanover M. M.	25.00	5,254.79
		$31,953.30

Industrial National Bank of Providence, Checking Account	$17,920.34
5 Prepaid Shares Cumberland Savings & Loan Association, Portland, Maine (Student Loan)	1,000.00
Roger Williams Savings and Loan Association, Providence, Savings Account (Student Loan)	9,063.62
Roger Williams Savings and Loan Association, Providence Savings Account (B. F. Knowles Fund)	3,975.14
Witholding Adjustment	5.80
	$31,953.30

FUNDS HELD BY NEW ENGLAND YEARLY MEETING AS TRUSTEE FOR RHODE ISLAND MONTHLY MEETING OF FRIENDS

Balance June 1, 1963		$15,602.95
Receipts:		
Dividends: Newport National Bank	176.25	
Industrial National Bank	462.00	
Savings Bank Interest	490.20	1,174.84
TOTAL RECEIPTS		$16,777.79
Expenditures		
Susan R. Trout, Treas. — Maintenance	300.00	
Mrs. J. F. Chase Treas. — Heating Repairs	986.92	
Insurance — Portsmouth Church & Newport (L. Hammett)	121.66	
Packer Braman		
Portsmouth	94.60	
Newport	30.10	
Dwelling — Portsmouth	46.20	1,579.48
Balance May 31, 1964		$15,198.31
The Savings Bank of Newport (7 accounts)	$11,450.30	
Rhode Island Hospital Trust	291.99	

Industrial National Bank (Sav. Account)	1,941.01	
Industrial National Bank (Checking Account)	1,514.99	$15,198.29
Cash on hand		.02

JOHN S. TAYLOR, Treasurer

Finley Perry, Chairman of the Finance Committee, described the plans that are in the minds of that Committee as they prepare a budget calling for $29,055.00 for the coming year.

Other Finance Department Reports follow:

REPORT OF THE EQUALIZATION FUND COMMITTEE

1963

	Number	Amount of Aid
Adults	10	$ 214.75
Young Friends	33	620.50
Juniors	40	682.25
	83	$1,517.50

REPORT OF THE INVESTMENTS AND PERMANENT FUNDS COMMITTEE

For the period June 12th, 1963 through May 13th, 1964 your committee has held eleven regular monthly meetings.

The financial statement for the year 1963 as audited by Christianson and Co., Certified Public Accountants, has been submitted. Since this report was made the Funds of the Hartford Monthly Meeting have been returned to them for Meeting purposes. The Committee has accepted Funds of the Cambridge Monthly Meeting.

There has been no change in the general policies of the Committee.

The attendance at the meetings has been good. One member, however, has not been able to serve this year. We would urge that appointments not be made to this committee without first determining that the person named can attend the regular monthly meetings.

"It has been the policy of the Board (now referred to as Committee) to accept for investment funds from local and monthly meetings as well as from the Yearly Meeting." The above is quoted from the Yearly Meeting Minutes of 1960 as a reminder to Friends of the service available to them.

11. The Yearly Meeting was informed that for the Youth Worker Project we now have in cash and pledges $17,026 of the $17,500 we had hoped to raise. We feel ready to go forward with the project.

12. The Nominating Committee forwarded a request from Young Friends to allow them to name members of their group to serve on Yearly Meeting Committees. It is approved.

13. The Nominating Committee asks that the Committee on the Revision of the Discipline be continued since their work is not finished. It is approved.

14. For special reasons there is a request that Ruth D. B. White be continued on the Missionary Committee. It is approved.

15. An increase in the number of representatives to the annual meeting of the Massachusetts Council of Churches was requested. The number will be three. It is approved.

16. The Nominating Committee also requests an alternate representative to the State Board of United Church Women of Massachusetts. It is approved.

17. The Nominating Committee presented names for the Permanent Board, the Archives and Historical Records Committee, the Auditors of Permanent Funds, the China Camp Committee, Investments and Permanent Funds Committee, Meetings and Extension Committee, Mosher Book and Tract Committee, New England Friends Home Committee, Peace Committee, Social Concerns Committee, and Student Loan Committee. They are approved.

18. Franklin Pineo and Thelma Babbitt were asked to take greetings of the Yearly Meeting to the Junior Yearly Meeting.

19. Louis J. Marstaller, Field Secretary, spoke to the report that has already been before us. The need of dedicated homes and active Meetings is constantly before him as he travels in his work. There are heartening areas of growth, there are times when we could be disheartened. We are thankful for his ability to keep matters in the right perspective as he moves cheerfully among Friends.

The Yearly Meeting approved Louis J. Marstaller as Field Secretary for another year.

REPORT OF THE FIELD SECRETARY

A brief review of my date book shows that during the past year I visited and sometimes took others with me: 19 quarterly meeting sessions; 19 monthly meetings or special groups in a monthly meeting; 21 clerks; 29 committees; 17 visits or trips relative to China Camp; and 54 miscellaneous visits with ministers, councils of churches, for the Young Friends Worker Fund, special events, conferences, etc.

Several outstanding events include: The pageant given by the Dover Meeting which was well attended and which presented both history and a challenge which we have not yet met; the conference at Woolman Hill on Membership sponsored by the Yearly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel and the Meetings and Extension Committee where there was deep searching to find valid expression of membership in today's society; the good response to the special asking for funds to hire a Young Friends Worker showed great concern for a more adequate program for our youth. Some of the trips relative to China Camp included making an appeal to get property taxes abated which were levied against our property for the first time in 1963. The town finally dropped the tax.

An exciting development this year has been the opportunity to help arrange the itinerary for Harrison and Anne Smith to conduct Vacation Bible Schools in several Meetings. The fact that these young people were willing to do this when there was not opportunity for them to serve at China Camp and that the Christian Education and Meetings and Extension Committees are jointly sponsoring this program is very encouraging.

We are moving ahead, rather slowly, and I still see the world forgetting us unless more of us commit our whole lives to following the teachings of Jesus in the light of the Spirit that is available to us today.

Thank you for all the opportunities you have given to me.

LOUIS MARSTALLER, Field Secretary

REPORT OF THE YEARLY MEETING OFFICE

The Yearly Meeting Office has sent committee notices and minutes for those committees requesting these services. Four issues of the NEW ENGLAND FRIEND were edited, published, and mailed. The Yearly Meeting Minutes were prepared for the printer and distributed; the Preliminary Announcement and Calendar for the Yearly Meeting sessions were prepared; the committee reports for Yearly Meeting were mimeographed and distributed.

Special projects this year which have taken some time and added to the cost of running the Office: helping Chester Smith and others with the Young Friends Worker Fund; and mimeographing parts of the proposed **Faith and Practice.**

Thanks to all who helped us — folding, stuffing envelopes, etc.

CLARABEL MARSTALLER, Office Secretary

20. A message of greeting from James Coney was brought by Louisa White and Melita Fisher who visited with him on a recent trip South. This Meeting wishes to send our greetings to him.

21. George Selleck brought further report from the Discipline Revision Committee. The question of continuance of membership on Yearly Meeting Committees, beyond the normal rotation has been discussed at a previous session and further consideration was given to the subject.

22. We were glad to hear from the epistles from Norway; Near East Yearly Meeting, Ramallah, Jordan; Japan Yearly Meeting; and Australia Yearly Meeting in its first session.

23. The Nominating Committee sent forward names for appointments to the Executive Council, Christian Education Committee, Friends General Conference Committee, Missionary Committee, Representatives on American Friends Service Committee, Incorporated, Friends Committee on National Legislation, Friends Council on Education, Friends World Committee, Quaker Men, Board of Directors of the Massachusetts Council of Churches, and United Church Women of Massachusetts. These names are approved.

24. George Bliss, as head of the Education Department, introduced Willard Ware who reported on the Friends Schools in Providence. Mary Schaffner, head of Lincoln School, spoke of the creative tension present in a good school situation and the care required to keep this creative situation positively productive.

Whittemore Whittier, acting head at Moses Brown School, spoke about individuality, involvement and identity as the boys have been learning new meaning for these terms. Projects of a very active nature have claimed the attention of the boys.

William Paxton has been appointed as Interim Headmaster for the coming year. He has been at Moses Brown for thirty-nine years and is known to many Friends.

Willard Ware gave a careful report of an unexpectedly large deficit caused by a change in wage scale for employees, a crash program to get a new building ready for fall opening and the additional cost of pension requirements for persons who had taken early retirement.

Last year the Permanent Board approved a plan for borrowing up to $500,000 from Providence banks to use as required for the building program. Only $400,000 will be used and permission was asked to use $75,000 of the remaining authorization to meet the deficit. Permission was granted.

REPORT OF THE MOSES BROWN SCHOOL AND LINCOLN SCHOOL COMMITTEE

The new Upper School building at Moses Brown was finally dedicated in April, 1964, as Friends Hall, in recognition of the long responsibility of Friends for the School and particularly for the action of the Yearly Meeting in making funds available with which to get the Program for Progress started. During the winter, building continued on the new Field House, which is to be dedicated this fall on Homecoming Day. It is a most impressive building, with the latest in facilities for indoor athletic events. Warren Howe has very ably assisted with specifications for the track and other features to give the School an outstanding facility. Both of these buildings will be open for inspection during Yearly Meeting sessions.

At Lincoln School, a most important step was taken in the formation of the Lincoln Foundation. This has been a concern of Board of Trustees President, Robert Whitaker, for some time. He has felt that such a legal entity should be set up to facilitate the flow of money to the School through gifts and bequests. The Board of Trustees and the School Committee approved the formation of the Foundation in early 1964. An active Committee of the Trustees has been studying the Boarding Department at Lincoln during the year in a more exhaustive and detailed study than that conducted several years ago by a group from the School Committee.

During the year, friction increased between the Headmaster at Moses Brown and the Board and School Committee. In late January, the Executive Committees of both the Board of Trustees and the School Committee agreed that the resignation of the Headmaster should be accepted. Since that time, Whittemore Whittier has served as Acting Headmaster, and William Paxton, long head of the English Department, is under appointment as Interim Headmaster for 1964-65. Mr. Whittier will remain in 1964-65 as Assistant Headmaster.

A committee to select a new Headmaster has been appointed and the search has begun. The special Committee is made up of members of both the School Committee and the Board of Trustees. It is hoped that a qualified Friend can be found for this post and that there will be a great deal more of Friends concerns and principles in evidence than has been true in the past few years.

The Committee named to select a new Headmaster is: Seth K. Gifford, Chairman, Russell Douglas, James Elder, Rudman Ham, Thomas Perry, Jr., Allyn Suttell, Clarke Symonds. Ex Officio: Edwin Krause and Willard Ware.

Moses Brown School has had a difficult year financially. With the reorganization of the business office, more up-to-date and comprehensive figures were made available to Trustees and School Committee. It became clear that the School was operating at a sizable deficit and much work has been done by the Finance Committee and the Business Manager to correct the situation and set up budgets and adequate controls. Much progress has been made in this area, even though many longer term commitments have been made under contract for next year.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR LINCOLN SCHOOL

Balance Sheet — June 30, 1963

ASSETS

Current Assets		
Cash — Checking Account	$ 5,979.42	
Cash — Savings Account	44,825.67	
Accounts Receivable	3,759.32	
Prepaid Insurance	6,066.40	
Total Current Assets		$ 60,630.81
Fixed Assets		
Gymnasium	106,223.01	
Hockey Field	54,502.30	
Mary Nichols Play House	34,245.61	
Main Building	285,589.02	
Dwight House	34,738.99	

New Lower School	229,900.85	
New Lower School Furniture	8,266.15	
Science Wing	18,537.05	
New Library	11,270.12	
Furniture & Equipment	38,523.46	
Arnold House	14,504.00	
Cameron House	15,801.92	
Pension Fund (Original)	50,067.50	
Total Fixed Assets		902,169.98
Total Assets		$962,800.79

LIABILITIES & CAPITAL

Current Liabilities		
Accounts Payable	3,260.28	
Res. for Repairs to Arnold House	1,003.45	
Withholding Taxes	9,225.03	
Social Security Taxes	2,267.10	
Gifts to School	168.86	
Books for Library	13.03	
Prizes	293.80	
Lecture Fund	94.48	
Trustee Library Fund	89.52	
Chas. H. Smith Library Fund	172.29	16,587.84
Reserves		
Reserve for Building Renovations	15,000.00	
Reserve for Major Medical	2,456.21	
Reserve for Bad Debts	4,483.25	21,939.46
Capital		
Investment & Surplus—Balance 6/30/62	895,777.94	
Withdrawn from Pension Fund	3,850.00*	
Gain from Operation—1962-63	3,485.36	
Capital Funds from Annual Giving	10,000.00	
Capital Funds from Development Fund	6,516.53	
Interest on Savings Accounts	492.45	
Interest on Pension Fund	3,005.55	
Lucy Melcher Will	4,145.66	
Note paid out of Res. Fund	4,700.00	924,273.49
		$962,800.79

STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENDITURES
July 1, 1962 — June 30, 1963

Total Income		$429,107.19
Expenditures		
Administration	$ 71,274.24	
Upper School	150,486.43	
Lower School	74,521.58	
Dormitory	14,624.96	
Dining Room	48,039.56	
Grounds	5,074.24	

Heat & Light	11,884.35	
Incidental Charges	18,161.37	
Development Office	6,555.10	
Reserve for Improvements	15,000.00	
Lavatories & Lockers	10,000.00	
Total Expenditures		425,621.83
OPERATING GAIN — June 30, 1963		3,485.36
		$429,107.19

I certify that I have examined the attached Balance Sheet as of June 30, 1963, and above statement of Income and Expenditures for the period from July 1, 1962 to June 30, 1963 and that I have compared the Assets and Liabilities balances and Income and Expenditures with the Ledger Accounts and have found them to be in exact agreement.

CARL W. CHRISTIANSEN, Certified Public Accountant
October 2, 1963

Other Education Department reports follow:

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION COMMITTEE

This year the Christian Education Committee has considered its responsibilities for adult and post-high school youth education. No easy ways to meet these responsibilities have been found.

The New England-New York Laboratory School was successful partly because it was small. A real sense of Christian community was experienced as we gained more understanding of the age group with which we worked, of our opportunities as teachers, and of ways to meet teacher and pupil needs. One Quarterly Meeting Workshop has been held to share these insights.

The 1963 Junior Yearly Meeting was a success in numbers and participation. In 1964, the Junior High age will have their own Yearly Meeting sessions. We feel that the Young Friends Yearly Meeting is an enthusiastic and growing organization largely because of the background of Junior Yearly Meeting. This is a vital part of the Society of Friends in New England. Leadership is essential, but often difficult to secure. Working with Junior Yearly Meeting is a rewarding experience; we encourage you to consider serving here of equal importance to serving in other areas of the Yearly Meeting work.

The New England Yearly Meeting Christian Education Library is now established with a small but good selection of books for administration, teaching and adult study. New books will be purchased and donations of books are requested. The library is housed at New England Friends Home in Hingham under the care of Maude Fowler.

This Committee is joining the Meetings and Extension Committee in sponsoring a young couple as directors of vacation church schools to be held in various Meetings of the Yearly Meeting.

MOSHER BOOK AND TRACT COMMITTEE

The Mosher Book and Tract Committee has, as in previous years, been working to supply books and periodicals to Monthly and Preparative Meetings in each Quarter of the New England Yearly Meeting.

Forty-five such Meetings in all Quarters have availed themselves of this opportunity. We have also secured books for China Camp, and the Missionary reading books have been supplied for all who wanted to read them, through the Missionary Reading Chairman. Twenty-seven Meetings requested **Quaker Life** for Pastors or workers. We also sent **Quaker Life** to the two schools in Ramallah. **The Friend** and **Friends Journal** were also supplied to the New England Friends Home. Our "outreach" gift this year was sent to the Teacher Training College in Kaimosi, Kenya, to help fill some of the vacant shelves in the new library.

EDITH C. WARE, Chairman

STUDENT LOAN COMMITTEE

The Student Loan fund, first established in 1898, is available to members of New England Yearly Meeting for education at the college level or for work in professional or summer schools. An exception has been made this year in that two loans have been granted to Quakers not members of New England Yearly Meeting but pursuing their education in this immediate area. A definite policy in regard to such exceptions will be carefully considered by the committee at the June meeting in June, 1964.

At the present time there are nine outstanding loans, of which four of these are new since June 1963. During the past year four additional loans have been repaid in full. By vote of the committee in its June 1963 meeting, one loan was cancelled due to prolonged illness in the family. The financial condition of the fund is found in the report of the Treasurer of the Yearly Meeting.

25. The Nominating Committee brought forward names of the new appointments to the Moses Brown School and Lincoln School Committee. They are approved.

26. Florence Selleck spoke about the Monthly Meeting School at Cambridge, Massachusetts. About one half of the teaching staff are Friends. They hope that their building will be ready for use this fall. There are about one hundred pupils in this school. There is a warm relationship between this school and the Meeting.

27. George I. Bliss spoke of the Meeting School of which he is Head. Accreditation by the New England Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools was given during this year. Commendation of the spirit in the School was made in their report. The Yearly Meeting was glad to hear some of the activities of this interesting School.

28. A memorial to Mary Paige Ware was read.

MEMORIAL TO MARY PAIGE WARE

Mary Paige Ware, a long-time and devoted member of the New England Yearly Meeting, passed away at Princeton Manor, Princeton, Mass., August 27, 1963, at the age of ninety-one. She was born in Lynn, Mass., July 12, 1872, the daughter of John Elwood Paige and Anna (Wing) Paige, and was educated in the schools of Lynn and at Boston University. An active member of the Lynn Meeting, she taught Sunday School classes of boys and girls, was an Elder and at one time treasurer of the Overseers. Her two main interests were her home and the Friends Meeting. While a member of the Lynn Meeting she often entertained visiting Friends in her home during Quarterly Meeting sessions and seldom, if ever, missed attending Yearly Meeting.

In 1928 she was married to Alfred T. Ware and subsequently went to live in Maine, where her husband was pastor of the Oak Street Meeting in Portand. Here she continued to be actively engaged in the work of Friends. She was appointed an Elder, in which capacity she served as long as she was connected with the Meeting. Her good judgment and knowledge of Yearly Meeting affairs caused her to be consulted often and appointed to committees both locally and in the Meeting at large. For several years she served as Recording Clerk of the New England Yearly Meeting.

The quiet, serene personality of Mary P. Ware emanated a radiance that endeared her to those with whom she associated. The various communities where she lived held her in the highest regard as a conscientious Christian and a strong pillar of the Society of Friends. She will be missed by all who knew her.

29. We were glad to hear the epistle of France Yearly Meeting.

30. Russell Brooks gave a report on Woolman Hill. It is ten years since the exploratory trip to the farm that became known to us as Woolman Hill. It has served a very useful purpose as a conference center and plans for the future include work camps, and an overseas training program for voluntary international service.

31. Samuel B. Burgess read the report of the work on Ministry and Counsel.

REPORT OF THE NEW ENGLAND YEARLY MEETING ON MINISTRY AND COUNSEL

The members appointed to the Interim Committee by the Quarterly Meetings met once during the past year, on Committee Day in Cambridge. This group approved that we again conduct a weekend retreat at Woolman Hill, directed at a consideration in depth of the various aspects of membership in the Society of Friends, and the responsibilities of Monthly Meeting committees on Ministry and Counsel. This retreat was conducted on April 4, 5, and 6, and attendance varied between thirty and fifty at the various sessions, and many of those attending commented on the usefulness and inspiration of this session.

The Interim Committee also discussed and approved plans for the sessions on Ministry and Counsel at Yearly Meeting.

At the Meeting of Ministry and Counsel at Yearly Meeting, our member George Selleck spoke on "The Purpose of the Society of Friends."

SAMUEL B. BURGESS, Clerk
HERBERT KIMBALL, Recording Clerk

32. The reports of Spiritual Condition follow.

CONNECTICUT VALLEY QUARTERLY MEETING

Connecticut Valley Quarterly Meeting of Friends, recognizing the pressures involved in submitting, evaluating and summarizing eight Spiritual Condition Reports every year, is varying the procedure for the current two years. This summary is based on Reports received this spring from four Monthly Meetings (Pleasant Street, Storrs, Middle Connecticut Valley, and New Haven); next year's will come from the others (Hartford, Guilford, Middletown, and Monadnock).

Thoughtful reading of this year's Reports shows Friends facing similar problems and finding solutions in relatively similar ways. For example, in the matter of the quality of vocal ministry in the Meeting for Worship, dissatisfaction led to discussion meetings which were well attended by members and non-members who spoke freely to this concern.

Again, in the case of Religious Education, we put great emphasis on making our First Day Schools more meaningful to our children and trying to encourage more of them to attend. Also, we are welcoming increased participation by young people in all Meeting activities — business, social and religious — although there is much room for growth in this direction.

Turning to the matter of outreach into neighboring and distant communities, while many Friends continue to reach out as individuals, we feel a deep need to increase contacts with others as a body of a Meeting or group of Meetings. Progress is slow, partly because of the geographical scattering of our families.

Two Meetings have special problems not at present shared by the others: Storrs, which achieved Monthly Meeting status within the year, and Middle Connecticut Valley which has been and still is experiencing the throes and thrills of planning and building a new Meeting House. In both cases, one senses deep spiritual commitment to achieving worthy goals as well as desire to be God-led in making decisions for the future.

In conclusion, using words from one Report, this group of Friends "has its face and its feet turned toward the future, endeavoring to activate our concerns and sense of basic unity not only for ourselves but for Friends everywhere and such part of earth's people we may be able to encourage."

DOVER QUARTERLY MEETING

The Spiritual Condition reports from the four meetings which make up Dover Quarterly Meeting have been very encouraging. Perhaps a few excerpts from the reports will serve as a summary.

From **Dover Meeting:** "We have felt a deeper sense of spirituality in our meeting for worship and found peace and refreshment amid our busy noisy lives. It would be helpful if more of our members were moved to speak, sharing with us their thoughts and strivings. An active First Day School has been started, with the guidance of three able teachers."

From **Gonic Meeting:** "While Gonic Meeting is small in numbers it is strong in spirit, a spirit that makes those who attend earnestly desire a meeting of true worship in the best tradition of Friends. To this end, meetings are conducted both as unprogrammed meetings and meetings led by Friends or leaders in complete sympathy with Friends, who always give time for silent communion and spoken service from members."

From **Weare Meeting:** "Our meetings on Sunday are held in the Federated Church in North Weare. Earl Fellows serves as minister, and an active community Sunday School is well attended. Our Monthly Meetings are held in various homes, and are times of worship and fellowship which have become our closest tie with Friends".

From **Concord Meeting:** "A small group regularly attends our unprogrammed meetings. The vocal ministry has been most helpful, and we have welcomed several visiting Friends. As an experiment, a separate meeting for children has been held on Sunday evenings. We feel that another year we may wish to return to our former plan of meeting together for a short time, then conducting classes for children."

Dover Quarterly Meeting grew in unity and fellowship in working together to present "Dover and its Friends," a historical pageant written by Henry Bailey Stevens for the 300th anniversary of Friends in Dover. Members of all Meetings in Dover Quarterly Meeting, as well as Friends from other parts of the Yearly Meeting, joined together to make this an occasion of inspiration and hope for the future.

FALMOUTH QUARTERLY MEETING

A study of this Quarter shows weaknesses which should be a source of concern. The statistical report continues to show a decline of membership (3% in 1962 and 7% in 1963.) It is increasingly difficult to fill committee and representative openings in this Quarter. Falmouth (Oak Street) reports this same difficulty on the Monthly Meeting level. At least two Monthly Meetings rarely find it possible to send representatives to Quarterly Meeting or to Yearly Meeting. The number of members in any Monthly Meeting **wanting** to attend Yearly Meeting makes a good measure of the spiritual vitality of that Meeting. Falmouth (Oak Street Meeting) reports this about its meeting for worship: that a period for quiet meditation..."is sadly lacking at Oak Street."

There are brighter rays of spiritual strength however. Parsonsfield and Sandwich report that although only operating during the summer, their meetings are well attended. Parsonsfield's high point of the year was its youth rally in which many youth from other denominations in the area participated. Falmouth showed spiritual strength in its exceptional work accomplished for the American Friends Service Committee, and to the Algerian Relief project. Forest Avenue, though small in numbers, reflects its spiritual condition through its unique "quiet WORSHIP-STUDY group." During the year, the life and work of St. Paul, the book of **Ecclesiastes,** and **The Choice Before Us** by Rachel Cadbury were studied. Durham's greatest strength and vitality was reported to be in its regularly attended, well-participated in, meeting for worship. A well-developed feeling of Peace and Social Concerns is also evident at Durham.

NORTHWEST QUARTERLY MEETING

The quality of worship and the spiritual ministry of all meetings is improved. All Meetings are making efforts to foster spiritual growth among their members. All Meetings have taken stands on Friends' Principles. Relations with Community, and with other religious groups is a prime area of our activity.

There have been many significant activities and concerns of the local Meetings.

In **Bennington,** increased concern among members for one another has been felt, and less haste and more deliberation and dependence upon the spirit has resulted in progress toward better conduct of business meetings.

In **Burlington,** members feel that their Meeting on Ministry and Counsel needs to concentrate on giving more organized and pointed consideration to the Meeting's spiritual concerns. A Building fund has been started.

In **Hanover,** while there is a feeling of comparative ease as a meeting for worship, they feel profoundly uneasy and unworthy to bear the name of Friend in other areas. They express their concern as follows: "In areas of peace, foreign relief, civil rights in the South, or disaster to one of our members, our imagination is stirred to action, but how can we ease the distress of those around us, the private woes, the ill-treatment of the unfortunates, the misdirected "benevolence" that hurts more than it helps? Friends should use their awareness to sense these needs, and wait for guidance on the right use of their healing power."

To this, all members of our Quarter say, Amen.

RHODE ISLAND QUARTERLY MEETING

The three meetings in the Rhode Island Quarterly Meeting have much in common but also, of course, some quite local factors affecting their spiritual condition.

Westerly reports concern that the spiritual condition of the meeting be more effective, which by no means implies that individuals are not spiritually alive and leading deeply rewarding lives, for several are active in area concerns of Fair Housing, peace, Indian affairs, Friends World Committee, Quarterly and Yearly Meeting work, but their concern is they reach the needs of so few. The spiritual sustenance of the members is usually served by deep silences.

North Dartmouth also is grateful for rich silences and helpful messages which the meetings often receive. The meeting becomes a loom, the Holy Spirit the Weaver, and they trust the weaving will help them gain understanding of how to be helpful to others.

Providence Meeting's spiritual life was helped significantly by experimental meetings conducted by Ministry and Counsel in a search for truth among its members. Knowledge of each other on a deeper level resulted, and desire to grow in their relationship to God and each other.

Social concerns are actively engaged in by many of the members, although this activity varies considerably among the membership.

The spoken messages have been more widely spread with increased participation by Moses Brown School and Lincoln School students. The meeting is aware, however, of the need for individuals to be open for the kind of search which leads to corporate worship in silence, as well as in the vocal message.

SALEM QUARTERLY MEETING

The fact that Salem Quarterly Meeting is the largest Quarter in New England perhaps accounts, in part, for its diversity. Though our member Meetings vary greatly in size, are to be found among the oldest and youngest of Meetings in New England, and though our Meetings for Worship vary greatly in nature, we are aware of the common strands that knit us together.

Within the member Meetings there is much activity in the areas of missionary work, social concerns, including civil rights, discussion and study groups, and First Day School. There is a Friends' School, and several Preparative Meetings under the watchful care of our largest Meeting, including the new Framingham Preparative Meeting and the Pembroke Worship Group.

We are concerned that our Meetings for Worship fulfill the need of our members, while giving sustenance and encouragement to attenders.

Amesbury Monthly Meeting expresses the conviction that it is fulfilling its mission as a strong Friends' Meeting, and that there is a deepening spiritual awareness and life among its members.

Cambridge Monthly Meeting expresses the desire that through the Meeting for Worship members and visitors may share a dedication to the life of the Spirit that would change and fire the community. Cambridge Meeting is striving to create a framework within which they can move toward these goals.

The members of Lawrence Monthly Meeting are striving to be worthy of the traditions of their Quaker heritage in a contemporary society. Members feel that the Meeting is in good spiritual condition.

Lynn Monthly Meeting recognizes the need of spiritual revival, not only in their own Meeting, but throughout the world. Their hope and prayer is that they may be faithful in sowing the seed of truth and righteousness.

Wellesley Monthly Meeting, while attempting to summarize the strengths and needs of the Meeting as a whole, reminds us of their concern for individual responsibility. They stress the need for more religious depth, through meditation, for renewal of the inner Spirit.

From the respective spiritual condition reports, it is evident that the Monthly Meetings of Salem Quarterly Meeting are aware that they must generate a more vital spiritual awareness. To this end prayerful seeking continues.

SANDWICH QUARTERLY MEETING

In summarizing the reports from the several Monthly Meetings within Sandwich Quarterly Meeting, it appears that each is endeavoring to maintain a Spirit of Friendly Worship while serving a non-Friends' community. Meetings for Worship are held in all areas. While some hold regular weekly services, others are held monthly or on occasions.

Most Meetings report being served by Pastors. All hold Ministry and Counsel meetings. One Meeting reports its group to be made up of older members while others have more active Youth groups. However, all are seeking to promote the "Friends' Way" in a busy, impatient world where "To Settle down" and "To await the Spirit of Divine Guidance" proves quite a challenge.

It is with Hope and Prayer that these Meetings will in some way make a vital contribution to their communities through service rendered in the Spirit of Friends always guided by Our Heavenly Father.

SMITHFIELD QUARTERLY MEETING

Both Meetings in the Quarter have been encouraged during the year by increased activity and interest among the young people. As a result of a Meeting retreat held at Woolman Hill, Worcester Friends with the enthusiastic urging of the young people reactivated the youth group. Young people and children attending Sunday School have also been invited to attend worship service, with encouraging results.

But both groups have been bothered by scanty attendance at meetings for worship and too casual support for the work of the Meeting. The problems facing the meetings led to the formulation of queries for the Worcester Meeting, which might have value for others:

(1) Does the decrease in the number of pledging members, as well as the decrease in the amount of the pledges, reveal a lack of commitment to the Meeting?

(2) Do we as members need to be more keenly aware of and sensitive to the distinct responsibility to which we are called as Quakers; responsibility to apportion our time in such a way as to allow for calling on fellow members, and to allow for attendance at various activities and thus to help share in the work of the Meeting?

(3) Why is there relatively little vocal ministry of members in the unprogrammed worship?

Both Meetings can be said to be "holding their own" but this is not enough for Friends, whose history of faith and practice holds for us so much significance.

VASSALBORO QUARTERLY MEETING

Spiritual strength and growth is evident in activities of members in participating actively in the work of the meetings and Sunday Schools. The burden of carrying on the business of the Meetings, superintending of and teaching in Sunday Schools, and carrying forward the aspirations and ideals of Friends has occupied many of our older and younger members.

Women's groups have held food sales, suppers, and done a great deal of sewing and other projects to raise money for the work of the meeting and for missionary and American Friends Service Committee projects.

Some Friends have attended various seminars and workshops. Some attended Five Years Meeting and one Friend traveled over George Fox's trail in England and has shared thoughts and insights with many.

Young Friends have been active and have held several regional meetings during the year. Some attended the camp for Maine Young Friends at China Camp. Several attended the mid-winter conference at Woolman Hill.

Some are concerned that we do not have enough outreach. There are many whose lives could be enriched if the light of Christ should flood across them. We believe our task is to carry this light and pray for guidance that we may do it with wisdom and love.

33. The statistical report was spoken to by Louis J. Marstaller. It appears on pages 46 and 47.

34. George Selleck has prepared charts that show the membership statistics for the past twenty years. Friends appreciate very much this graphic presentation.

35. Thyra Jane Foster spoke to the Archives and Historical Records Committee report. It is gratifying to see how carefully this committee is working to make the past serve the present.

The Meeting approves that the Archives and Historical Records Committee consult with the Moses Brown School Committee about the care of the private libraries of Moses and Obadiah Brown and report on the matter to the sessions in 1965.

REPORT OF THE ARCHIVES AND HISTORICAL RECORDS COMMITTEE

The Committee held two regular meetings during the year. Correspondence in regard to the transfer of our records to John Carter Brown Library has been circulated among the members. The Archives and Records were moved to that Library on May 2, under the agreement for temporary deposit appended to this report. Moses Brown School lent a truck and the help of some of its boys for the purpose. We retain our interest in the Vault at Moses Brown School. Some current Meeting records and some special items will be left there for the present. Items in use by the School have also been left there.

The private libraries of Moses and Obadiah Brown, presented to the School in 1837 and 1866 respectively, have been put in the Vault where they will be much safer and not deteriorate so much. All items from the Safes near the Vault have been put therein, or removed to John Carter Brown Library with the other records. Your chairman, with the help of some members of the Committee, expects to complete the cataloging of the material as soon as possible under the supervision of John Carter Brown librarians. Transportation costs will be paid from our appropriation. After cataloging, the records will be available to Friends at John Carter Brown through their regular library services.

We will be pleased to receive any remaining Meeting minutes not in safe keeping at John Carter Brown Library, now that we have the space, and we urge all Meetings to check this matter.

The Library does not serve professional genealogists. Such matters will need to be taken up with the Chairman of the Committee.

We are agreed to ask for an appropriation of $300.00 for next year. Our expenses for custodial care have been $25.00. The balance is $243.26. Now that the cataloging has begun, our expenses will considerably increase.

An extensive Historical Exhibit on New England Friends, using much of our material, was made for the Five Years Meeting of Friends at Richmond, Indiana in 1963.

Microfilms of New England Yearly Meeting (1845-1945) which met at Westerly, have been made at a cost just under $300 raised by private subscription, and placed with our records. The original minutes will also be placed there. There have been the usual genealogical requests during the year which have been attended to by Helen Paxton, Custodian at the School, and by your chairman. Researchers for the Christian Education Workshop at this Yearly Meeting and the Junior Yearly Meeting's program on Friends Education have been using our material.

ARCHIVES AND HISTORICAL RECORDS COMMITTEE AGREEMENT WITH JOHN CARTER BROWN LIBRARY

Excerpt from letter from Thomas R. Adams, Librarian, John Carter Brown Library, dated July 9, 1963.

"It is proposed that the New England Yearly Meeting deposit its archives in the John Carter Brown Library, under the following conditions:

1. While in the Library's possession the archives will be made available to researchers on the same terms that apply to its own collection. However, this will not be possible until the archives have been properly sorted, boxed, and indexed, and until this is done the archives cannot be used except by members of the Committee on Archives and Historical Records, the Clerk of the Yearly Meeting and other persons who are familiar with the existing arrangement who will not require guidance or special assistance from the staff of the Library.

2. The Yearly Meeting will undertake to arrange, box and list or catalogue the archives. The Library will provide space for doing this and will provide professional advice and guidance. It can also, at the expense of the Yearly Meeting, order appropriate boxes and folders for the archives.

3. Once the archives have been arranged, boxed and listed or catalogued the Library will provide service for appropriate researchers who come to the Library to call for specific items as listed or catalogued. The Library cannot, however, undertake to do any research in the archives. The Library will be open from 9 to 5 Mondays through Fridays, and 9 to 12 on Saturdays when college is in session.

4. Records may be removed from the Library only on authorization of the Archives and Historical Records Committee of the Yearly Meeting.

5. The Library's photocopying service will be available at the expense of searchers.

6. The terms of deposit shall be until a reasonable time after the renovation of Moses Brown School's main building, allowing the

Yearly Meeting to arrange for a permanent location there or elsewhere.

7. All the archives of the Yearly Meeting should be kept together; normal additions will be accepted during the term of deposit, and up to the limits of available space.

8. That part of the Library of Moses Brown which is now in the Moses Brown School Library or vault deserves expert rare book cataloguing as a unit. It falls within the John Carter Brown Library's permanent collecting field (books about America printed before 1800), and would be of considerable value to scholars if given the expensive, specialized attention which the John Carter Brown Library and similar institutions are equipped to give. The Library will be pleased to acquire this collection on a permanent basis but will not accept it as part of the temporary deposit. If the Library accepts the Moses Brown books it will place in the archives of the Yearly Meeting a complete file of unit cards for all books as they are catalogued..... We would be willing to accept the Moses Brown Library on permanent loan if that term is interpreted in the following way. That the Yearly Meeting would not withdraw the books unless the Library failed to live up to the following conditions:

1. That the Library would be kept together on the shelves as a unit.
2. That no books from the Moses Brown Library (and Obadiah Brown Library) would ever be disposed of either as duplicates or for any other reason without the express permission of the Yearly Meeting.
3. That the Library would in time be fully catalogued in accordance with the Library's standard procedures.
4. That the books would receive the same kind of care that the rare books in the John Carter Brown Library receive. This includes the repairs and restoration of volumes according to the best standards and techniques. This work would have to be done slowly as the money became available unless the Yearly Meeting could supply the funds to have it done all at once."

Letter from Thomas R. Adams, Librarian, John Carter Brown Library, dated March 30, 1964.

"At a recent meeting of the Committee of Management of this Library, the Committee approved the proposal that we give the New England Yearly Meeting storage space under the conditions set down in the letter of July 9, 1963.

"In the matter of the personal libraries of Obadiah and Moses Brown, the Committee indicated that they would be glad to receive them, although they would not associate the libraries with the archives."

36. In the period of worship a memorial to Mary Abbie Wheeler Spencer was read.

MEMORIAL TO MARY ABBIE WHEELER SPENCER

Mary Abbie (Wheeler) Spencer, a member of the Worcester Monthly Meeting, passed away on October 1, 1963, in Uxbridge, Mass., at the age of eighty-nine. Although for many years she resided in Pennsylvania, she retained her membership in the Worcester Friends

Meeting and, when that was laid down, in the Worcester Monthly Meeting.

Her family was prominent in Friends work in New England, particularly in the field of education. She and her sisters, Dr. Lucia Wheeler and Frances Wheeler, were educated at Friends School in Providence, Rhode Island (now Moses Brown School). After completion of her work at Friends School, Mary Abbie entered Smith College, from which she was graduated in 1896. She then taught for a brief period before returning to Friends School as preceptress of the girls' department and teacher of English. It is with regret that Worcester Monthly Meeting records the passing of this long-time member.

37. Louis Marstaller introduced John and Susan Smith, who will be the directors at the China Camp this year. David Wetherell will assist them.

38. George I. Bliss, as chairman of the Representatives, brought forward their nominations for Clerks as follows:

Presiding Clerk: Thomas R. Bodine
Recording Clerk: Miriam E. Jones
Reading Clerk: Henry B. Williams
Reading Clerk: Donna J. Aldrich

They are approved.

There is a suggestion that the responsibility of choosing clerks be assigned to the Nominating Committee of the Yearly Meeting rather than the Representatives.

Another suggestion is that the representatives appoint a nominating committee within their group who will be ready to bring forward names for the next year's representatives to consider. The Yearly Meeting approves this suggestion.

39. Eva Pratt Owen presented the report of Oak Grove School. The activities of both students and faculty are of interest to this meeting. The worldminded outlook of the people at this school is a valuable contribution to education in our time.

40. George Selleck spoke to the further report of the Discipline Revision Committee. The Yearly Meeting expresses approval of the Queries and Part II with editorial power to clarify where necessary.

41. Friends are not hearing specific reports from the Five Years Meeting or Friends General Conference this year but the Clerk performed an interesting demonstration by asking Friends connected with Five Years Meeting Boards or Committees and using their materials to stand. As each category was added a larger proportion of the group was standing. Then the same exercise for Friends General Conference was carried out. In each case more than half of the persons stood showing dramatically our participation in these larger bodies.

REPORT OF THE FIVE YEARS MEETING COMMITTEE

The Five Years Meeting sessions were very helpful and rewarding to more than 1,300 people last July. Many people from New England, including all the representatives, attended and shared in the discussions, the workshops and meetings of information and inspiration. There was an excellent exhibit of New England Yearly Meeting arranged by Thyra Jane Foster. The expanding program of the Five Years Meeting was very evident and the workshops were very significant. The theme of the sessions, "Ye Are My Witnesses," is one all Friends can well keep in mind. Our Yearly Meeting Clerk, Thomas Bodine, was appointed as the Recording Clerk of the Five Years Meeting. Since the sessions are to occur every three years, it is advisable to change the name, and suggestions are being solicited.

The larger share of the work is in the field of missions, of which the East Africa Mission is outstanding. However, this work in Kenya can hardy be called a mission, since it is a yearly meeting in its own right, comprised of 33,000 members and administering its own property and activities. Our work there in schools, hospital and meetings continues to be of great importance in this nation which has become independent within one year. They want and need our help in personnel and funds until they can produce their own trained leadership. Six families from New England will be involved in the work in East Africa with the arrival in June of Corwin and Helen Perisho — Leslie and Winnifred Barrett, Lloyd and Imogene Brightman, Hermann and Mary Patt, Caleb and Jeannette Smith, and Philip and Virginia Towle. Mission work in other areas includes Jamaica, Ramallah, and with the Indians in Oklahoma.

A very active program is being conducted by the Evangelistic and Church Extension Board under the direction of Eugene Coffin. The establishment of a new meeting in the fast growing city of Phoenix, Arizona, is currently underway. Eugene Coffin is being helpful in many parts of the country as he travels about in the interest of this Board. Perhaps he can help strengthen your meeting.

The support of this expanding work and service and its resulting witness in the world rests upon the several Yearly Meetings. You are individually encouraged to consider giving $1 per month for the work of the Five Years Meeting. The only way to support an increased budget is through increasing our share of the financial responsibility, either directly or through the Yearly Meeting Treasurer.

REPORT OF THE FRIENDS GENERAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

The annual meeting of the executive committee of the Friends General Conference was held in September at Moses Brown School in Providence, Rhode Island. All of the New England Yearly Meeting Committee members were present for all or some of the sessions.

General Conference Committees discussed their work during the past year. Activities were evaluated in the light of future effectiveness.

Visiting Friends attended Saylesville and Providence meetings for worship on First Day.

Lawrence Miller, General Secretary of the Friends General Conference, visited several meetings in New England in March.

The Cape May Conference calendar is now available. As usual, many different types of study and discussion groups are planned. Well-known Friends and other outstanding speakers have been scheduled for evening lectures. Programs have been arranged for Young Friends and Juniors.

42. The Outreach Department represented by its chairman, Gregory Harrison, reported on activities during the past year. Herbert Kimball spoke about Membership in our Society and the need for each member to take on responsibility to share the faith that we possess. Moses Bailey spoke with us about some of the historical reasons for membership. George Selleck spoke about the **Faith and Practice** as an attempt to state what this Society stands for in its practical affairs and in inspirational material.

REPORT OF THE MEETINGS AND EXTENSION COMMITTEE

The committee has this year sponsored a number of visiting Friends. Working with Wellesley Friends who took the initiative the Meetings and Extension Committee sponsored the visit of Lawrence Miller. Moses Bailey has given a good deal of time to visiting for the committee, reaching across the whole Yearly Meeting with strengthening messages. Eugene Coffin came to us from Richmond and visited and strengthened the meetings in the southern half of the Yearly Meeting.

The committee has worked with the Friends of the Springfield area and has received the cooperation of Friends adjacent to Springfield in the encouragement of and the effort to establish a meeting in the Springfield, Massachusetts area.

Working with Ministry and Counsel, the committee sponsored a weekend seminar at Woolman Hill on the meaning of membership. A reverent seeking filled the conference as those gathered there recognized the importance of clarification of the meaning of membership and the purpose of the Society of Friends, which clarification it is hoped will be carried into all meetings of Friends in New England.

The Meetings and Extension Committee will join with the Christian Education Committee in the start of the coming year in sponsoring Vacation Bible Schools in a number of meetings interested in reaching out into the communities of which they are a part.

Some of the monthly meetings have been setting up new meetings looking to the time when these new meetings will become monthly meetings, as for example, the Framingham Meeting activity under the guidance of the Cambridge Monthly Meeting. Framingham Friends hope to secure a building which they will renovate and move. Strengthening existing meetings is carried on by some local meetings, as for example, the feeling of permanence created within the Middle Connecticut Valley Meeting with plans for the construction of a meetinghouse. The desire of Friends to start meetings so that they might draw together in worship is reflected by the starting of a new meeting in Camden, Maine which was established as a monthly meeting in Vassalboro Quarter.

While we recognize in many ways a fruitful year, and have noted the concern of a number of Friends in both outreach and in deepening the spiritual life of its meetings, we must also recognize that in a number of meetings no such interest is shown. The committee has found as well that there are a number of meetings that with smugness and unconcern for their fellowmen feel that they are all right as they are and no increase of spirituality is called for on their parts.

REPORT OF THE MISSIONARY COMMITTEE

The New England Yearly Meeting Missionary Committee met at Yearly Meeting time, and again on Committee Day in November. At this time plans were made for the annual mid-winter Missionary Day (March 21, 1964) at which Willard Ware was asked to speak.

He and Edith Ware had just returned from Kenya, and brought news of the latest developments in East Africa Yearly Meeting. They had been invited to represent the American Friends Board of Missions at the Independence Week ceremonies in Nairobi, as guests of the Kenya Government. They stayed nearly two months after that, taking care of legal matters pertaining to leases, land titles and property, in preparation for the formal handing over of all property in Kenya to the trustees of East Africa Yearly Meeting. "This completed 62 years of administration by the American Friends Board of Missions, and marked the beginning of great changes in relationships. East Africa Yearly Meeting will want our help for years to come, and will need trained personnel and financial aid from American Friends. Responsible African leadership will take over as they feel ready, and as more gain in experience. Thomas Lung'aho is secretary for East Africa Yearly Meeting Institutions and Projects. Harold Smuck is for the time being secretary for Church Work and Extension — since the resignation of Jotham Standa to accept work with the government.

"East Africa Yearly Meeting now becomes, in fact, as well as name, a full partner in the Five Years Meeting. The Mission Board will no longer administer the work in East Africa as in the past, but will serve as one of the departments of the Five Years Meeting, working with any other Yearly Meeting. It will serve to collect funds and transmit them to East Africa, and will find personnel requested by East Africa to help them carry on their work in Meetings, hospital, schools, and other activities.

"We can be thankful for the emergence of East Africa Yearly Meeting, as a legal entity, operating under the laws of Kenya, with its own constitution, and owning all the property American Friends have developed over the years. Property, and bricks and mortar, do not insure success for the future, and we can be certain that East Africa Yearly Meeting faces many difficult tests, but African Friends have confidence that the Life and the Spirit they have learned of and followed through sixty years will lead them on through greater responsibilities to greater Victory."

The Committee is very appreciative of the time, talent and effort given by New England Friends who have recently worked abroad, and of their interest and enthusiasm in telling us, who must stay at home, about the work. Meetings are encouraged to invite these Friends to come and share their experiences:

Dr. David and Ruth Hadley
Dr. Donnell Boardman
Dr. Frank Lepreau
George and Myrtle Minott
Willard and Edith Ware

Most of these Friends have colored pictures and will be glad to show them. Contact them directly, or inquire at the Yearly Meeting Office for further information.

43. Friends welcome Seth B. Hinshaw, North Carolina Yearly Meeting, William Cleveland and Russell Tuttle from Philadelphia Yearly Meeting, and Duncan and Katharine Wood, London Yearly Meeting, and Delbert and Ruth Replogle, New York Yearly Meeting.

44. George I. Bliss, speaking for the Executive Council, announced the recommendation that the Yearly Meeting return to Pembroke College June 22 to 27, 1965. The Meeting approves this plan.

Appreciation to Providence Friends is expressed and warmly felt by all who attend our sessions.

45. The Executive Council asks authorization to increase representation to the Central Committee Friends General Conference from eight to fourteen members. This is approved.

46. Finley Perry presented the budget for 1964-65 for the Finance Committee. It is approved with the five recommendations of the Finance Committee.

REPORT OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

Yearly Meeting Budget for 1964 - 1965

Five Years Meeting Activities	$ 6,000.00
Five Years Meeting Expenses	3,282.00
Friends General Conference	500.00
For Yearly Meeting Activities:	
Peace Committee	300.00
Church Peace Mission	50.00
Social Concerns Committee	250.00
Christian Education Committee	450.00
Junior Yearly Meeting	250.00
Friends Committee on National Legislation	200.00
Friends World Committee and Fellowship Council	350.00
Young Friends Committee	150.00
Young Friends Yearly Meeting	325.00
Meetings and Extension Committee	500.00
Executive Council	150.00
Missionary Committee	50.00
Archives and Historical Records Committee	200.00
New England Friends Home Committee	500.00
China Camp Committee	100.00
Five Years Meeting Committee	100.00
Travel expenses for representatives of Yearly Meeting to:	
American Friends Service Committee, Friends World Committee and Fellowship Council, Friends Committee on National Legislation, Five Years Meeting Boards, Friends General Conference Central Committee, and Friends Council on Education	300.00

Travel for Five Years Meeting representatives	300.00
Field Secretary:	
Salary	4,800.00
Retirement	480.00
Travel	2,000.00
Yearly Meeting Office Expenses:	
Secretary	1,500.00
Rent	300.00
Equipment, Supplies, and Miscellaneous Expense	1,000.00
Yearly Meeting Clerk's Expenses	75.00
Yearly Meeting Treasurer's Expenses	700.00
Printing Yearly Meeting Minutes	850.00
Expenses of Yearly Meeting Sessions	900.00
Friends Council on Education	100.00
Young Friends Worker	2,000.00
Contingencies	100.00
	$29,112.00

1. Contributions are made to the Yearly Meeting on a voluntary basis. Each Monthly Meeting is requested to include in its budget a sum of money representing its fair share of the Yearly Meeting budget to be paid to the Yearly Meeting Treasurer in installments throughout the year, the final installment to be paid on or before May 15, 1965. In order to help in determining each Meeting's fair share of the budget, it is to be noted that the total budget is about $10 per member including associate and non-resident members. In practice we find that a number of Monthly Meetings have been unable to contribute as much as others and Meetings should not necessarily feel comfortable that they have done their share even if they have contributed $10 per member but may want to consider if they can give more. Unless a number of Meetings do in fact contribute $12 or more per member, the budget will not be raised.

2. That the Treasurer be authorized to pay bills for the expenses of the Yearly Meeting sessions and for the printing of the Yearly Meeting Minutes without further authorization provided that these bills do not exceed by more than ten per cent the amounts budgeted therefor. That the Treasurer be authorized to pay the expenses of entertaining visiting Friends at Yearly Meeting sessions only with the approval of both the presiding clerk and the chairman of the Arrangements Committee, and that the Treasurer is authorized to pay all other expenses only with the approval of the appropriate committee chairman and only up to and not exceeding the amount included in the budget for said committee. Any payments in excess of the amounts included in the budget (or in the case of the Yearly Meeting sessions and the printing of Yearly Meeting Minutes more than ten per cent in excess of the amount included in the budget) shall be made only with the additional approval of the Finance Committee or its authorized agents.

3. That the Five Years Meeting Committee, the Equalization Fund Committee, the China Camp Committee, and the Executive Council for a Youth Worker, be given permission to appeal directly to the members of the Yearly Meeting for funds, but that all other committees of the Yearly Meeting be requested not to do so without first obtaining permission from the Finance Committee.

4. That John S. Taylor be appointed Treasurer of the Yearly Meeting.

5. That Russell S. Douglas and George A. Cates be appointed to audit the accounts of the Yearly Meeting Treasurer, that Russell S. Douglas be appointed to audit the accounts of the China Camp Committee, that Chester C. Smith be appointed to audit the accounts of the New England Friends Home Committee and that Helen L. Bliss be appointed to audit the accounts of the Young Friends Committee. It is requested that these audits be completed as soon as reasonably possible and that in each case a report be sent to the Finance Committee.

47. John S. Taylor is appointed Treasurer for one year or until his successor is appointed.

48. J. Franklin Pineo presented the report of the Auditors of the Permanent Funds. It is accepted.

REPORT OF THE AUDITORS OF THE PERMANENT FUNDS

The committee appointed to arrange for the audit of accounts of the Investments and Permanent Funds Committee engaged Christiansen & Company, Certified Public Accountants, and their report is submitted herewith.

Members of your committee have reviewed the report of the Treasurer and the report of the auditors and submit the following summary.

A Market Value of Fund as of Dec. 31, 1963
B Cost of Securities Held
C Income Earned in 1963
D % of Yield on Cost Value

Funds	A	B	C	D
Moses Brown Pooled	$ 558,418.52	$ 381,617.09	$25,255.37	.0662—
Moses Brown Special	324,434.19	265,196.65	14,887.88	.0561+
Lincoln School Special	346,691.87	286,622.38	14,014.52	.0489—
Yearly Meeting Pooled	155,735.22	119,614.29	6,161.91	.0515+
Yearly Meeting Special	39,253.38	26,691.96	1,805.30	.0676+
N. England Friends Home	123,538.92	115,193.66	4,755.97	.0413—
	$1,548,072.10	$1,194,926.03	$66,880.95	.0559+

The average yield of better than 5½% on the combined total of all funds, together with the fact that Market Value of all securities held on December 31, 1963 amounted to $353,146.07 more than the total cost of same, is convincing evidence of the careful supervision given by the Board of Managers.

RUSSELL S. DOUGLAS, SETH GIFFORD, J. FRANKLIN PINEO

49. Richard Gove spoke to the Report of China Camp.

REPORT OF THE CHINA CAMP COMMITTEE

The Camp was operated from June 30 to August 10 by the Committee. Carleton and Saundra Cates were the Directors. George and Myrtle Minott, Jamaican Friends studying in New England, were the Assistant Directors. Joyce Turner was waterfront director. There were also junior counsellors.

There were 15 High School age; 12 Junior High; and 20 Grade School. Each group went on a special trip. The seniors climbed Mt. Katahdin, one group spent a day at the coast and the others went to Hermon, Maine to see the total eclipse of the sun. However, during totality it was cloudy.

The sessions seemed successful with their programs of worship, work, study and recreation. There is a continuing problem with the older group due to lack of cooperation and acceptance of minimum rules of discipline which are necessary for group living.

The Camp property was used after August 10 by a Baptist group for a week and by the Maine Quaker Youth Fellowship for a week.

CHINA CAMP TREASURER'S REPORT

Cash on Hand 2/1/1963		$ 447.33
Income:		
Camp Fees	$ 2,168.50	
Donations	950.00	
Total Income		3,118.50
Total		$3,565.83
Disbursements:		
Supplies	480.31	
Building Repairs	99.55	
Food	659.62	
Salaries (Directors & Counsellors)	930.00	
Transportation	193.30	
Utilities	277.06	
Insurance	188.35	
Medical	37.00	
Miscellaneous	67.26	
Total Disbursements		2,932.45
Cash on Hand 2/1/1964		$ 633.38

GEORGE F. CATES, Treasurer

John Smith outlined fully the program that has been planned for this year. The balance between work, study, and play; between rules and freedom is good. The Meeting is appreciative of the care that is being taken for these plans.

50. The Nominating Committee presented names for the following: Representatives to Annual Meeting of the Massachusetts Council of Churches; the Correspondence Committee and the Equalization Fund Committee.

Special action by the Yearly Meeting was taken to allow Willard H. Ware to continue to serve on the Investments and Permanent Funds Committee for one year. It is approved.

51. Henry B. Williams presented the Epistle which our Yearly Meeting will send out to Friends everywhere. It is approved.

GENERAL EPISTLE OF NEW ENGLAND YEARLY MEETING

To Friends Everywhere:

Throughout the fabric of our meetings has run the thread of realization that the variations of opinion, considered in fellowship and love, are cause for growth and depth in understanding.

All Friends have a unique opportunity to speak with men of all faiths. For we can approach them as John Woolman went to the Indians, "that I might feel and understand their life and the spirit they live in, if haply I might receive some instruction from them, or they might in any degree be helped forward by my following the leadings of truth among them."

In that spirit we can impart as we learn. There is a need that open-minded and religious people carry this spirit of friendly inquiry to faiths other than Christian, or to men of no professed faith, "answering that of God in everyone," and greatly extending the exchange of persons, ideas and goals for the future.

"A new commandment give I you, that ye love together as I have loved you that even so ye love one another." (John 13, Coverdale Bible, 1535.)

Signed in and on behalf of New England Yearly Meeting,

THOMAS R. BODINE, Clerk
MIRIAM E. JONES, Recording Clerk

52. The Epistle of Philadelphia Yearly Meeting was read.

53. The report of the Peace and Social Concerns Department was opened by Donnell Boardman.

The Friends Committee on National Legislation should be considered an extension of our long-time testimony to speak directly to those who govern. The ease with which this Committee can assist visiting Friends in meeting with their Senators and Representatives is remarkable. The importance of letters is emphasized but personal visits are of much greater value.

At the present writing the Senate has just passed the Civil Rights Bill. This is only one step that has been on the minds of the Committee. David Hartsough, who is on the staff in Washington, outlined other points of progress that have been made. He underlined the importance of this work. It is, in many cases, a personal knowledge of the stand legislators are taking and who best can speak to them that brings the right response.

The American Friends Service Committe New England Regional Office has been active in Suburban Fair Housing Groups. This effort has not reached all families in the low income groups. A pilot program for both Negro and white groups is being undertaken in Boston.

The new effort is only one of the activities of this busy Branch of the Philadelphia Office. The Clothing Room is very full and always in need of helpers. New avenues for peaceful use of war-time industries are being explored. New constructive programs for young people are being organized. People of other faiths and other cultures are working with the New England Branch on programs of common interest.

The Mission work in Africa as seen by Donnell Boardman caught our attention as he reported directly on the medical work he was engaged in there. Dr. David Hadley and his wife Ruth, on furlough from Kaimosi, are with us today. The medical work at Kaimosi as a center for that part of Africa is on the verge of real expansion.

George Rae spoke about the peace programs planned for the coming year.

Our Yearly Meeting is asked to name a strong representation to the Race Relations Conference which will be held before our next sessions. It is hoped that Monthly Meetings will help with the expenses of representatives. It is suggested that the budget for the next year be increased for Social Concerns with this project in mind.

The following Minute was prepared for release to the press:

New England Yearly Meeting of the Religious Society of Friends, on June 20, 1964, during its 304th annual sessions, held in Providence, Rhode Island, recorded its gratitude and satisfaction that both Houses of the Congress of the United States have passed an Omnibus Civil Rights Bill. We are thankful for the efforts of our national leaders to express through legislation our nation's determined commitment to the concept of equal social, political, and economic rights for all citizens, without regard to race, creed, color, or national origin.

It is approved.

Peace and Social Concerns Department reports follow:

NEW ENGLAND FRIENDS HOME COMMITTEE

The New England Friends Home is providing a happy and comfortable home for about 13 persons. The average age is well up in the eighties. The average health is rather better than would be expected, and the spirits of all are excellent. The beautiful new home, which we moved into two years ago, has turned out to be very comfortable and satisfactory in every way.

The Hingham Preparative Meeting continues to hold its meetings for worship at the Home each Sunday morning. There are sewing groups mending clothing for the American Friends Service Committee, there are daily trips down to the Town of Hingham for those who want to go, and frequently visiting Friends bring slides of their travels to show to the residents. There has been a weekly prayer meeting every Wednesday evening and there is a mission study group which meets at the Home once a month. Walks on the grounds are enjoyed by the residents and tea is served every afternoon for the residents and guests.

While there are a number of residents at the Home now who are not Friends, most of them at least have a member of their immediate family who is a Friend. Since the Home is primarily for Friends, we hope that Friends will keep this in mind and let us know of members of their Meetings who might be interested in coming to the Home to live. As the Home is nearly always full, it is necessary to plan ahead so that Friends can be ready to come when a room becomes available.

The Huntington Home in Amesbury has continued to be a problem. We have had it listed with several real estate agents, but so far have had no luck in finding an interested purchaser. There is not much of a market for properties of this size and age . We are getting some income from rents to help offset the expense of carrying the property.

The total contributions received in the fund drive completed over the past three years have exceeded $85,000 which not only surpasses our goal of $80,000 but very nearly takes care of the cost of the campaign as well. We are very grateful to the members of the Yearly Meeting for their magnificent support of the Home.

We are very fortunate to have such a fine Home but even more fortunate in having a person such as Katherine Haviland to run it and to maintin the cheerful, friendly happy atmosphere that has prevailed there ever since she moved in.

NEW ENGLAND FRIENDS HOME TREASURER'S REPORT

Period: April 1, 1963 thru March 31, 1964

Income:		
Cash on Hand		$ 4,796.04
Boarders		21,224.10
New England Yearly Meeting		1,500.00
Trust Funds		2,365.33
Contributions		36.50
Other		318.32
		$30,240.29
Expenditures:		
Wages		$10,318.03
Taxes (on wages)		271.53
Telephone		456.86
Laundry		241.75
Supplies		868.47
Provisions		4,360.73
Repair & Maintenance		3,257.65
Insurance		853.97
Utilities:		
Gas	2,188.69	

Water	293.60	
Electricity	494.55	
		2,976.84
Miscellaneous		707.82
Mileage		654.75
		$24,968.40
Cash on Hand (March 31, 1964)		$ 5,271.89

Henry W. Stokes, Treasurer

REPORT OF THE PEACE COMMITTEE

The Peace Committee, desiring a wide-spread dedication to the cause of peace, has expressed itself in various ways. Recognizing that many pastors in our Meetings are non-Friends, the Committee provided $70.00 to send a carload of ministers to a Quaker Leadership Seminar in Washington, D. C. for four days. Although only one non-Friends pastor accepted this opportunity, we believe the approach has been worthwhile. (Four Friends from New England also attended the seminar).

Our Committee is interested in promoting peace education among our youth at China Camp. We currently have available films, narrators and literature which we hope can be fitted into the schedule of each of the three sessions of Camp this year.

Our biggest project of the year was the overseeing of the Witness for Peace, conducted before the State House in Boston on March 27, 1964. Many capable and dedicated Friends helped, and approximately two hundred persons participated. It had an interracial and interdenominational complexion. Several young people were among the witnesses. In response to our call, some of the Monthly Meetings not represented in past years sent overseers to participate. Evaluations indicated a mixed reaction: "a moving occasion;" "got nothing from it;" "another kind of direct action needed." The Peace Committee feels the annual Witness is becoming a ritual and is losing its effectiveness. We suggest that we do not sponsor it next year. Friends personally, however, should respond to constructive activities as the Spirit designates.

During the year both Five Years Meeting and Friends General Conference requested their constituent Yearly Meetings to include annually in their budgets at least $50.00 for Church Peace Mission. Our Peace Committee responded with a token contribution of $10.00. We recommend that New England Yearly Meeting contribute $50.00 to Church Peace Mission in the coming year.

The Peace Committee shares with other Friends the concern for visitation. Last fall a list of twenty-seven names was drawn up from the membership as Friends gifted for this mission. Some of our own Committee were included. Our attention to this concern has been wholly inadequate. We have, however, held our committee meetings at Portland, Allen's Neck, Cambridge, Hanover and Providence, thereby carrying our concerns to local Meetings in a fashion of our own.

Finally, we anticipate that our worship-workshop this year on The Spiritual Basis of the Peace Testimony will be one of the highlights of our endeavors. Led by Herbert Huffman, it should probe deeply into the meaning of our faith and strengthen the convictions of those who participate.

REPORT OF THE SOCIAL CONCERNS COMMITTEE

Our six committee meetings were held after worship with a number of Monthly Meetings. This provided an opportunity to share with them our work and learn about their social concern activity.

We supported the aims of the National Conference of Friends on Race Relations through a contribution as we did also toward the New England Regional Office of the American Friends Service Committee in their newly established Community Relations program to help families (mostly Negro) affected by urban renewal and rehabilitation housing problems.

The Social Concerns Committee urged Friends to support the Friends Committee on National Legislation through a letter to Quarterly and Monthly Meetings and through The New England Friend.

The Committee was active planning Yearly Meeting programs including arrangements for Gladys Rawlins' Green Circle presentations, a Worship-Workshop based upon race relations, and consideration with other committees within the Peace and Social Concerns Department of a speaker for all attending Yearly Meeting sessions.

Our convictions about capital punishment led us to write each Massachusetts Monthly Meeting urging communication with state officials requesting clemency for a condemned prisoner and urging support of a bill to abolish the death penalty.

REPORT OF THE FRIENDS COMMITTEE ON NATIONAL LEGISLATION REPRESENTATIVES

The part the Friends Committee on National Legislation plays in bringing our Friends' ideals into the turmoil and melting pot that is our National Congress should not be underestimated. With a budget of around $100,000.00 and a group of dedicated workers it is truly performing a modern miracle.

Now, however, we all have been challenged by the great needs of our common brothers in the fields of civil rights, war on poverty, international relations, the United Nations, Indian Affairs and so on. This challenge can be met in some measure by increasing our active participation and financial support in the work of the Friends Committee on National Legislation. Never before has it been more important to increase our efforts through this channel of creative Quaker action.

In the final analysis national issues are local issues and only through this communication between ordinary people and their representatives in government can we hope to have the value of our beliefs tested in the world of reality.

54. From the Worship-Workshop on Civil Rights these Queries were brought forward:

1. At what point does non-violence become violence?
2. What do we mean by violence?
3. Who shall judge another's need?

55. A report from the Nominating Committee of Young Friends forwards the following names for incorporation in the Yearly Meeting Committees:

Christian Education Committee: Kathleen Taylor
Peace Committee: Dena Foster and Eva St. Clair
China Camp Committee: Gerald Cates and James Estes
Permanent Board: Stephen Curwood

They are approved.

56. There have been 378 persons registered at our session. (255 Adults, 52 Young Friends, 71 Juniors.)

57. The three Friends, Thomas R. Bodine, Daisy N. Newman, and Miriam E. Jones, who are attending the Friends World Committee in Waterford, Ireland, are asked to carry a minute of greeting from this session.

58. The Junior Yearly Meeting report to the Adult Meeting was introduced by music, the reading of the Junior Epistle and demonstrations of their work. Plays telling of the founding of the Girls' School in Ramallah by Eli and Sybil Jones and the heroic work of Prudence Crandall were presented.

JUNIOR YEARLY MEETING EPISTLE

To Junior Yearly Meetings Everywhere:

Dear Friends:

We started our meeting at 8:30 A.M. on Wednesday. This year, our Junior Yearly Meeting was divided into three sections: the Junior High, Intermediate — (4th-6th grade), and the Primary. There were thirty Junior Highers in attendance, twenty-three Intermediates, and six Primary children. Each morning the two older groups had a period of worship, frequently attended by Adult Yearly Meeting, followed by a short business meeting.

Our theme this year was "Something More". We learned about Friends' schools around the United States. We were privileged to have been visited by George and Myrtle Minott, who spoke on their own country, Jamaica. Interesting Bible study sessions were held each morning with Louisa Alger. Jane Cook helped the Junior Highers present a play for the Saturday night program.

Afternoon activities included service work for cerebral palsy schools, art, chorus, orchestra, and swimming. In the evening we had step-singing, slides on Kenya and Russia, and square dancing.

Director of the Junior High group was Lelia Taylor, and director for the Intermediates, Helen Wyman.

We pray that others may have a chance to gain better world understanding as we have begun to do, that will lead to world peace. We send our greeting to all.

STEPHEN BAILEY, Presiding Clerk
MARGARET WYMAN, Recording Clerk

Epistle Committee:

DARIA MESHENUK
JOAN HARRISON
JUNE WITHAM
JANE HADDAD

59. The Young Friends Epistle was read. Their challenge to the adults was presented through a play that they wrote for this program.

YOUNG FRIENDS EPISTLE

Fellow Young Friends,

This year we met for the third consecutive year here at Moses Brown School in Providence, Rhode Island, and once again Edwin Hinshaw, the newly-appointed New England Yearly Meeting Young Friends Worker, was our leader. We had a number of interesting speakers who led us in discussions on our theme, "Quakers in Politics."

Winslow Osborne spoke to us on Wednesday night about why Quakers are in politics. Don Noel and Martin Ross held a heated debate before us Thursday night which led to an even more heated discussion among the Young Friends. Dave Hartsough continued in this vein with a talk on the Friends Committee on National Legislation, which still did not answer the question of principle versus compromise in politics. Peter Irons, a lobbyist for the United Auto Workers, talked with us on lobbyists in Washington, and how to be most effective in influencing your Congressman. All of them stressed individual participation in our government.

In between going to the beach, square dancing, and viewing slides, we worked on our play for Saturday night which was written by us and directed by Bill Cleveland and Ruth Osborne.

This year in conjunction with the adults, we planned and ran a Young Friends' Worship-Workshop and were invited to attend adult workshops. In these discussions we dealt with the relationship of young people to their own world and the adult world. We were grateful to the few adults who attended this workshop.

Our Bible Half-Hour was conducted by Edwin Hinshaw and David Wetherell who presented the spiritual and historical Jesus. In our business meetings we made plans for a mid-winter conference at Woolman Hill, set up the various necessary committees, and discussed Young Friends' activities for the coming year.

We had an interested, active and more unified group this year who chose Charles White, Gail Lash, and Eva Lilienthal for next year's officers. Intellectual discussions and other activities combined to make this year's Yearly Meeting a success, and we are looking forward to next year.

In Quaker Fellowship, Yours Truly,

STEPHEN CURWOOD, Clerk
MARGARET COPELAND, Recording Clerk

Epistle Committee:

STEPHEN CURWOOD
REID BAILEY
PRISCILLA COPELAND
ROBINSON LILIENTHAL
PETER KAUFHOLD
ELIZABETH ALDRICH
SALLY BROWNE

60. Malcolm R. Lovell, who had expected to be with us, could not attend these sessions. He sends a picture of Smithfield Meetinghouse made about one hundred years ago, which he would have presented to the Yearly Meeting. It is accepted with appreciation.

61. The Clerk, Thomas R. Bodine, read the Epistle that we are sending out to Friends everywhere.

Certainly we leave this Yearly Meeting refreshed and stimulated, full of love for one another born of the love that Christ has for us. We would like to be able to say that as a result of this Yearly Meeting our lives have been changed to the extent that William Penn described in speaking of early Friends.

"They were changed men themselves before they went about to change others." We quote from the young people at Moses Brown last term, their discovery that "it is cool to care." It has been a blessed Yearly Meeting. May the love of God that has been poured on us here flow through us to our homes and families, to our Meetings and our home communities and to all men everywhere.

Our sessions now conclude, purposing with Divine assistance to work together during the year and to meet at the appointed time and place next year.

THOMAS R. BODINE, Clerk
MIRIAM E. JONES, Recording Clerk

We hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the minutes as approved from time to time in the foregoing schedule of sessions, to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Thomas R Bodine
Miriam E. Jones

Tabulated Statement of Membership Changes in New England Yearly Meeting for the Year Ending 12-31-1963

		Gains					Losses																			
Monthly & Quarterly Meetings	No. of Members, 1962	Omissions last Report	Additions by Birth	Additions by Request	Addition from another Friends Meeting	Total Additions	Error in last Report	Death	Discontinuance, Resignation, or Disownment	Cert. to other Frds. Mtg.	Letter to another Den.	Total Loss	No. Members this Year	Net Gain	Net Loss	Number of Males	Number of Females	Number under age 21	Number of Junior Mbrs.	Jr. Members. Trans. to Active Membership	No. of Resident Mbrs.	No. of Non-Resident Members	Attd. at Sun. Wor. (est.)	Attd. of Children at Sunday School	Attd. of Adults at Sunday School	No. Sun. School Classes
Guilford	31	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	2	31	0	0	13	18	12	0	0	20	11	10	0	0	0
Hartford	262	4	0	0	6	10	0	0	9	11	0	20	252	0	10	113	139	111	113	0	219	33	58	57	57	7
Mid. Conn. Valley	120	0	1	2	4	7	0	0	1	3	0	4	123	3	0	60	63	39	48	0	97	26	62	20	12	5
Middletown	25	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	25	0	0	17	8	0	11	0	22	3	25	11	2	2
Monadnock	30	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	30	0	0	16	14	16	12	0	16	14	35	0	0	0
New Haven	51	0	1	7	1	9	0	1	0	3	0	4	56	5	0	22	34	25	23	0	37	19	30	20	0	4
Pleasant St.*	0	0	0	33	8	41	0	0	0	0	0	0	41	41	0	17	24	10	11	0	26	15	17	0	0	0
Storrs	0	0	0	6	17	23	0	0	0	0	0	0	23	23	0	13	10	10	8	0	20	3	12	8	2	2
Conn. Valley Q. M.	519	4	2	21	66	93	0	1	10	19	0	30	582	63	0	271	311	223	226	0	462	120	247	116	73	20
Dover	124	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	1	1	2	124	0	0	55	69	0	0	0	71	53	30	10	0	3
Weare	84	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	9	0	11	73	0	11	38	35	23	27	0	47	26	20	15	10	5
Dover Q. M.	208	0	0	0	2	2	0	1	1	10	1	13	197	0	11	93	104	23	27	0	118	79	50	25	10	5
Durham	143	0	3	2	0	5	2	2	0	5	0	9	139	0	4	60	79	50	32	2	109	30	59	35	14	8
Falmouth	117	0	1	0	0	1	0	8	1	3	0	12	106	0	11	41	65	12	18	0	68	38	55	15	0	3
Forest Ave.	44	0	0	2	0	2	0	1	4	0	0	5	41	0	3	13	28	12	8	1	23	18	13	0	8	0
Parsonsfield	47	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	3	4	43	0	4	25	18	13	27	0	26	17	40	0	0	0
Sandwich	18	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	17	0	1	7	10	1	1	0	7	10	8	0	0	0
Windham	29	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	6	23	0	6	5	18	1	0	0	23	0	30	35	0	4
Falmouth Q. M.	398	0	4	4	0	8	3	11	12	8	3	37	369	0	29	151	218	89	86	3	256	113	205	85	22	15

Bennington	13	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	2	0	8	7	4	4	0	15	0	10	0	0	1
Burlington	45	0	1	3	5	9	0	0	0	5	0	5	49	4	0	25	24	25	25	0	26	23	28	6	0	1
Hanover	36	0	0	3	7	10	0	0	0	2	0	2	44	8	0	23	21	16	16	0	43	1	23	13	3	2
Northwest Q. M.	94	0	1	8	12	21	0	0	0	7	0	7	108	14	0	56	52	45	45	0	84	24	61	19	3	4
N. Dartmouth	26	0	0	4	4	8	0	0	0	1	0	1	33	7	0	12	21	8	0	0	19	14	0	0	0	0
Providence	189	0	0	4	9	13	2	2	0	6	0	10	192	3	0	88	104	48	57	1	135	57	82	21	12	7
Westerly	47	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	46	0	1	17	29	5	0	0	23	23	14	0	0	0
Rhode Island Q. M.	262	0	0	8	13	21	2	3	0	7	0	12	271	9	0	117	154	61	57	1	177	94	96	21	12	7
Amesbury	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	11	0	1	2	9	0	3	0	7	4	7	0	0	0
Cambridge	550	0	5	9	15	29	0	4	5	27	0	36	543	0	7	238	305	170	161	4	310	233	325	86	0	19
Lawrence	79	0	0	1	0	1	0	2	0	0	1	3	77	0	2	26	51	14	13	0	47	30	40	18	25	6
Lynn	60	0	0	1	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	2	59	0	1	22	37	6	3	2	51	8	27	8	8	4
Wellesley	83	0	0	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	85	2	0	38	47	42	40	0	84	1	65	35	0	6
Salem Q. M.	784	0	5	12	16	33	0	8	5	27	2	42	775	0	9	326	449	232	220	6	499	276	464	147	33	35
Allen's Neck	79	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	79	0	0	27	52	16	9	0	57	22	43	27	15	7
Dartmouth	59	0	2	2	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	63	4	0	26	37	9	8	0	49	14	25	36	6	6
New Bedford	93	3	0	0	0	3	0	1	0	1	4	6	90	0	3	37	53	5	8	0	46	44	35	0	0	0
Sandwich	50	4	0	0	1	5	0	3	1	0	0	4	51	1	0	21	30	11	12	0	28	23	54	10	10	4
Swansea	91	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	1	3	4	89	0	2	45	44	26	29	1	48	41	30	10	15	3
Westport	100	0	0	5	0	5	0	1	1	4	0	6	99	0	1	37	62	21	23	0	70	29	30	30	5	5
Sandwich Q. M.	472	7	2	9	2	20	0	6	2	6	7	21	471	0	1	193	278	88	89	1	298	173	217	113	51	26
Bolton	26	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	25	0	1	8	17	3	0	0	15	10	0	0	0	0
Smithfield	89	1	0	2	0	3	0	1	1	0	0	2	90	1	0	36	54	12	10	1	52	38	30	25	7	6
Worcester	149	0	2	4	1	7	0	3	0	0	2	5	151	2	0	71	80	40	40	0	111	40	40	18	10	6
Smithfield Q. M.	264	1	2	6	1	10	0	4	2	0	2	8	266	2	0	115	151	55	50	1	178	88	70	43	17	12
China	45	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	1	0	4	41	0	4	13	28	5	3	0	16	25	80	50	0	9
N. Fairfield	23	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	22	0	1	8	14	2	2	0	15	7	20	3	0	2
Oak Grove	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0
Vassalboro	80	1	0	0	0	1	0	3	4	0	0	7	74	0	6	39	35	27	21	2	38	36	30	20	7	4
Winthrop	98	0	0	5	0	5	0	1	0	0	0	1	102	4	0	37	65	22	0	0	94	8	45	37	13	7
Vassalboro Q. M.	250	1	0	5	0	6	0	6	6	1	0	13	243	0	7	98	145	56	26	2	165	78	175	110	20	22
Totals	3251	13	16	73	112	214	5	40	38	85	15	183	3282	31	0	1420	1862	872	806	14	2237	1045	1585	679	241	146

*Pleasant Street Meeting has been an independent Meeting for several years, so the "Additions by Request" covers several years and may include some who were Friends elsewhere.

YEARLY MEETING CALENDAR OF DAILY EVENTS

JUNE 16-21, 1964

Tuesday, June 16

2:00-3:30 P.M. Yearly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel, George A. Selleck, "The Purpose of the Society of Friends."

3:45 P.M. Meeting of the Permanent Board.

7:00 P.M. Step Singing.

7:30-8:45 P.M. Opening Minute. Worship. Address by John O. Nelson, "The Role of the Society of Friends."

Wednesday, June 17

8:00 A.M. Hymn Sing.

8:30-10:30 A.M. Worship-Workshop Sessions (½ hour for worship followed by 1½ hours for workshops and discussion under leaders provided by Departments and Committees).

10:45-11:45 A.M. Business Meeting: Roll Call of Representatives, Minutes of Visiting Friends. Reports of the Permanent Board and Executive Council. Concerns from Quarterly Meetings.

11:50 A.M.-12:20 P.M. Bible Half Hour. Beatrice Kimball on "God and Man in Israel, 8th Century B.C."

3:00-4:30 P.M. Business Meeting. Report of Discipline Revision Committee. Finance Department. Initial presentation of Budget for 1964-65.

4:45 P.M. Meeting of the Representatives.

7:00 P.M. Step Singing.

7:30-8:45 P.M. Public Meeting. Worship. Education Department speaker: Charles Hutton on "Developing Concepts of Education in the Society of Friends."

9:00 P.M. Gladys Rawlins — "The Green Circle" presentation on race relations.

Thursday, June 18

8:00 A.M. Hymn Sing.

8:30-10:30 A.M. Worship-Workshop Sessions.

10:45-11:45 A.M. Business Meeting; Reports of Field Secretary, Discipline Revision Committee (continued), and Nominating Committee.

11:50 A.M.-12:20 P.M. Bible Half Hour. Beatrice Kimball, "God and Exiled Man, 6th Century B.C."

1:30-2:45 P.M. Women's Missionary Society. Ramzi Karam, speaker.

3:00-5:00 P.M. Business Meeting: Education Department.

5:00 P.M. Organization of Committees for the new year.

7:00 P.M. Step Singing.

7:30-8:45 P.M. Business Meeting. Report of Yearly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel. Consideration of State of Society: Spiritual Condition Reports, Statistical Reports. Report of Archives and Permanent Records Committee.

9:00 P.M. Organization of Committees for the new year.

Friday, June 19

8:00 A.M. Hymn Sing.

8:30-10:30 A.M. Worship-Workshop Sessions.

10:45-11:45 A.M. Business Meeting: Plans for next Yearly Meeting, report of the Representatives, general concerns.

11:50 A.M.-12:20 P.M. Bible Half Hour. Beatrice Kimball on "God and Man Restoring Jerusalem, 6th Century B.C."

2:00-4:00 P.M. Business Meeting: Outreach Department: Discussion of the Meaning of Membership in the Society of Friends; Consideration of the Basis of Membership.

4:15-5:45 P.M. Open House at Moses Brown School and Lincoln School.

7:00 P.M. Step Singing.

7:30-8:45 P.M. Public Meeting. Worship. Peace and Social Concerns Department speaker: Duncan Wood on "Quaker Work in Geneva."

9:00 P.M. Organization of Committees for the new year.

Saturday, June 20

8:00 A.M. Hymn Sing.

8:30-10:30 A.M. Worship-Workshop Sessions.

10:45-11:45 A.M. Business Meeting: Finance Department. Final presentation of 1964-65 Budget.

11:50 A.M.-12:30 P.M. Bible Half Hour. Beatrice Kimball on "God and Man, 20th Century A.D."

2:00-5:00 P.M. Business Meeting: Report of Correspondence Committee. Peace and Social Concerns Department. Unfinished business.

7:00 P.M. Step Singing.

7:30-8:45 P.M. Reports and Program by Junior Yearly Meeting and Young Friends.

Sunday, June 21

9:30-10:15 A.M. Adult Class. William Hubben on "Should Theology Concern Friends?"

9:30-10:15 A.M. Bible School for children under care of Christian Education Committee.

10:30 A.M. Meeting for Worship.

1:30-2:45 P.M. Public Meeting. Address by Seth B. Hinshaw, "Developing Adequate Leadership for Our Day." Reading of Epistle. Concluding Minute.

3:15 P.M. Meeting of the Permanent Board.

WORSHIP-WORKSHOPS

I. Youth are in revolt? I am an individual!!!?? I have feeling too — how can I tell you? Are values just words?

II. Ministry and Counsel. Interpreting Friends Worship and Practice.

III. Christian Education Committee. A Careful Look at Our Friends Sunday Schools. Are we drifting in an old tradition, or are we creatively moving "in the spirit?"

IV. Education Department. The Home — The Meeting — The Public School. Can this combination produce the kind of child we would like to send out into the world?

V. Finance Department. Meeting Responsibilities. The nature of our local, regional, and national Quaker organizations and the ends sought to be accomplished by each.

VI. Meetings and Extension Committee. Outreach and Membership. Friends methods and opportunities for outreach; training for and content of Membership.

VII. Outreach Department. Friends Outreach in a Changing World — Kenya, Jamaica, Jordan and Cuba.

VIII. Peace Committee. The Spiritual Basis of the Peace Testimony.

IX. Social Concerns Committee. Do you Belong in the Civil Rights Struggle?

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Permanent Board

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Ex officio: The Clerk, the Field Secretary, the Treasurer of the Yearly Meeting, and the Chairman of the Executive Council.

Executive Council

Chairman: SAMUEL B. BURGESS
Secretary: ELIZABETH L. JONES

For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
Hazel C. Foster	George I. Bliss	Henry C. Foster
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Clerk of the Yearly Meeting, of the Permanent Board, of the Yearly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel, the Field Secretary, Chairman of the Arrangements Committee, Clerk of the Young Friends Committee.

Arrangements Committee (Appointed by the Executive Council)

Chairman: ROBERT S. BURGESS

Archives and Historical Records Committee

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For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
Thyra Jane Foster	Amelia F. Emerson	Thomas Bassett
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For Three Years: Clayton W. Spinney

China Camp Committee

Chairman: STANLEY L. ALDRICH
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Ralph W. Austin	Edwin E. Hinshaw	Stanley Aldrich
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Christian Education Committee

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Sibylle J. Barlow	Mary Jane Carpenter	Jane E. Cook
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Correspondence Committee

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Jean Cochrane	Elizabeth F. Ballard	Gordon M. Browne, Jr.
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Seal Thompson	Henry B. Williams	

Discipline Revision Committee

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Thomas Bassett	Louis J. Marstaller	George A. Selleck
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Jane C. Burgess	Henry H. Perry	Lelia E. Taylor
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Bertha Ann D. Copeland	Edward Leslie	Richard S. Gove
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Finance Committee (Appointed by Quarterly Meetings)

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	For One Year	For Two Years
Conn. Valley:	Vincent Cochrane	Rose Schafer
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Falmouth:	Mabel F. Russell	Walter Thomes
Northwest:	Arthur Armstrong	Virginia Little
Rhode Island:	Edward A. White	Donald E. Gates
Salem:	Finley H. Perry	Richard S. Gove
Sandwich:	Harry Allen	Ernest H. Weed
Smithfield:	Clayton T. Drown	Kenneth Strobel
Vassalboro:	Eva Otis	Marcia Sims

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Five Years Meeting Committee

Friends Central Offices, 101 Quaker Hill Dr., Richmond, Indiana.
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(Composed of representatives from New England appointed to Boards of the Five Years Meeting and representatives appointed to the Five Years Meeting.)

Appointments to Boards:
Board on Christian Education: Jane E. Cook
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Thomas R. Bodine
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1520 Race St., Philadelphia, Pa. 19102
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Investments and Permanent Funds Committee

Chairman: L. RALSTON THOMAS

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For Four Years:	J. Rudolph Metz	Henry H. Perry
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For Two Years:	Clayton T. Drown	Edward A. White
For One Year:	Philip Cornell	Gren O. Pierrel Willard H. Ware

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For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
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	Ruth E. Hoge	

Missionary Committee

Chairman: ANNIE DERNIER
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For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
Mabel G. Bailey	†Dorothy J. Averill	Donnell W. Boardman
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For One Year

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Mary S. Barrett
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For Three Years

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*Margaret Sisson
Ralph M. Williams
Willard H. Ware

For Four Years

Russell S. Douglas
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For Five Years

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Mosher Book and Tract Committee

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Nominating Committee (Appointed by the Quarterly Meetings)

Chairman: EDITH PAINE

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Conn. Valley:	Fritz Semmler	Elizabeth Musgrave
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Falmouth:	Frances P. York	Margaret H. Wentworth
Northwest:	Nancy Booth	George Little
Rhode Island:	Dorothy W. Gifford	Mary V. Myers
Salem:	Annie Dernier	Jane Burgess
Sandwich:	Karl Erickson	Margaret Douglas
Smithfield:	Edith Paine	Ruth N. Dow
Vassalboro:	Margaret Cates	Eleanor Wilson

Peace Committee

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For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
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  Stewardship: Annie S. Dernier
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  For Two Years: Ruth Mellor
  For Three Years: Ruth C. Graham

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Adult Members appointed by the Christian Education Committee:
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Vassalboro:	Lelia E. Taylor	

DIRECTORY OF MEETINGS

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CONNECTICUT VALLEY QUARTERLY MEETING

Storrs Olds, Clerk. Held on the first Saturday or Sunday in February, May, August, and October. In February at West Hartford, in May at New Haven, in August at Guilford or Rindge, in October with Middle Connecticut Valley Monthly Meeting. Hours of meeting vary. Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel the same day or evening before, David McAllester, Clerk.

Meeting	Location	Sunday Worship	Sunday School	Business Meeting	Clerk & Workers
Guilford Monthly Meeting	Home of Ellen Thomas, Horsepond Rd. (corner Wildcat Rd.) Madison, Conn.	10:30	10:45	2nd Thursday, 8:00 p.m.	Rose Z. Schafer, Clerk
Hartford Monthly Meeting	144 S. Quaker Lane W. Hartford, Conn. 06119	10:00 & 11:00	11:00	2nd Thursday, except July & Aug. 7:45 p.m.	W. Wendell Clepper, Clerk
Middle Conn. Val. Monthly Mtg.	New Meetinghouse, Rt. 63, 3½ miles north of N. Amherst, Mass.	11:00	10:00	2nd Wednesday, 7:45 p.m.	Trevor Robinson, Clerk
Gould Farm Prep. Mtg.	Home of Adele Wehmeyer, Gould Farm, Rt. 23, 8 mi. east of Great Barrington, Mass.	5:00 p.m.			
South Hadley Mtg. for Wor.	South Hadley, Mass. (contact Corres.)	4:30 P.M. Once a month			David Holden, Corres.
Middletown Monthly Mtg.	Downey House, Wesleyan U., High St. Middletown, Conn.	11:00	11:15	3rd Sunday, Homes of members, 8:00 p.m.	Jean Cochrane, Clerk
Monadnock Monthly Mtg.	The Meeting School Thomas Rd., Rindge, New Hampshire	10:15		2nd Sunday after Worship	George Rae, Clerk

Connecticut Valley Quarterly Meeting (cont.)

Meeting	Location	Sunday Worship	Sunday School	Business Meeting	Clerk & Workers
New Haven Monthly Mtg.	Faculty Room, Conn. Hall, Yale U.	9:45	9:45	2nd Sunday, 11:00 (except June-Sept.)	Annette Donovan, Clerk
Pleasant Street Monthly Mtg.	901 Pleasant St., Worcester, Mass.	11:00	11:00	2nd Thursday, 7:30 p.m.	Francis J. W. Wheeler, Clerk
Storrs Monthly Meeting	Rt. 195, Storrs, Conn. Across from Storrs Grammar School	11:00	11:00	3rd Sunday, 7:30 p.m.	Clay Steinberger, Clerk

DOVER QUARTERLY MEETING

Ruth F. Osborne, Clerk. Held on the fourth Saturday in April, August, and October. In April at Dover, in August at Weare (Henniker Meetinghouse), and in October at Gonic. Worship at 11:00 a.m., business meeting at 1:00 p.m. Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel at 10:30 the same day with David L. Curtis as clerk.

Meeting	Location	Sunday Worship	Sunday School	Business Meeting	Clerk & Workers
Dover Monthly Meeting	Consult Clerk for place of Business Mtg.			2nd Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.	Mildred S. Richardson, Clerk
Dover Prep. Meeting	Central Ave. at Trakey St., Dover, New Hampshire	11:00	11:00	Following Worship 2nd Sunday in Jan. April, July, Sept.	Eleanor B. Dryer, Clerk
Gonic Prep. Meeting	Maple St., Gonic, New Hampshire	10:30		1st Sunday, 11:30 a.m.	Edith Teague, Clerk
Weare Monthly Meeting	Federated Church, North Weare, N. H.	9:45 (except July)	11:00	1st Friday, 8:00 p.m., homes of members	Miriam G. Osborne Clerk
Concord Prep. Meeting	2 Thorndike St., Concord, N. H.	10:00 Sept.-June	10:00	Sunday before 1st Friday after Worship	David L. Curtis, Clerk

FALMOUTH QUARTERLY MEETING

Stanley L. Aldrich, Clerk. Held on the last Saturday in January, May, August and October. In January at Oak St., Portland, Me., in May at Forest Avenue, Portland, in August at Durham, in October at Windham. Worship at 11:00 a.m. and business meeting at 1:00 p.m. Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel the same day at 10:00 a.m. with Vivian M. Woodbury as clerk.

Meeting	Location	Sunday Worship	Sunday School	Business Meeting	Clerk & Workers
Durham Monthly Meeting	South Durham, Me. Rt. 125, between Freeport and Lisbon Falls	10:00	11:00	3rd Wednesday, 7:30	Peter P. Jonitis, Clerk
Falmouth Monthly Meeting	83 Oak St., Portland, Maine	10:45 except July & August	10:45	3rd Tuesday, 7:30, except June-Aug.	Albert R. Moore, Clerk Earl K. Sweatland, Pastor
Forest Avenue Monthly Mtg.	1837 Forest Ave., Portland, Maine	10:30 Summer 9:30 mid-June - Sept.		2nd Sunday, 1:00 p.m.	Virginia M. Phillips, Clerk
Parsonsfield Monthly Mtg.	East Parsonsfield, Maine	2:00 Summer		Held at the call of the Clerk	Ramona E. Day, Clerk
Sandwich Monthly Meeting	North Sandwich, New Hampshire	10:30 July-August		Held at the call of the Clerk	Marion I. Spaulding, Clerk
Windham Monthly Meeting	Windham Center, Maine, Route 202	9:00	10:00	3rd Sunday, 10:00	Carolyn Small, Clerk

NORTHWEST QUARTERLY MEETING

Henry Williams, Clerk. Held at Farm and Wilderness Camp, West Bridgewater, Vermont, September 12-13, 1964; Bennington, Vermont, December 5-6, 1964, consult Clerk for place of meeting; Waterman Lounge, Burlington, Vermont, March 6-7, 1965; Farm and Wilderness Camp, West Bridgewater, Vermont, May 29-30, 1965. Meeting for Worship at 11:00 a.m. on Sunday. Meeting for Business at 1:30 p.m. Meeting on Ministry and Counsel the evening of the first date at 8:00 p.m. with Arthur Armstrong as clerk.

Meeting	Location	Sunday Worship	Sunday School	Business Meeting	Clerk & Workers
Bennington Monthly Mtg.	Old Bennington School House, Rt. 9 Bennington, Vt.	10:00		4th Sunday, after Worship	Julia Damkoehler, Clerk
Burlington Monthly Mtg.	179 N. Prospect St. Burlington, Vt.	11:00	11:00	1st Sunday, Alternately 12:00 & 1:30 p.m., Sept. through May	Elizabeth Edwards, Clerk
Plainfield, Vt.	Francis Fay home, Martin Meadows Rd.	11:00			Francis Fay, Corres.
Hanover Monthly Meeting	Christian Union Lounge, Dartmouth College, Hanover, N. H.	10:45 School year	10:45	1st Sunday, 2:00 p.m.	William Chambers, Clerk
	William Chambers Home, Chambers Rd., Hanover	9:30 Summer			
New London, N. H.	Colby Junior College; First Baptist Church 1st and 3rd Sundays	6:00 p.m.			Polly Parker, Corres.

RHODE ISLAND QUARTERLY MEETING

Edward A. White, Clerk. Held on the third Saturday in April, July, and October. In April at Providence; in July at North Dartmouth, Mass.; in October at Westerly. Meeting for Worship at 11:00, Business Meeting at 1:30 p.m. Meeting on Ministry and Counsel at 10:30 a.m. the same day with Ruth D. B. White as clerk.

Meeting	Location	Sunday Worship	Sunday School	Business Meeting	Clerk & Workers
North Dartmouth Monthly Mtg.	State Road, Rt. 6 North Dartmouth, Mass., near Smith Mills	11:00		Last Sunday in March, June, Sept., and Dec., after worship	Marian B. Goodwin, Clerk
Providence Monthly Mtg.	99 Morris Ave., Providence, R. I.	11:00	10:00	Even months, 2nd Thursday, 7:30; odd months, 2nd Sunday, 2 p.m.	Ambrose Meyers, Clerk
Saylesville Prep. Mtg.	Great Rd., Saylesville, R. I.	11:00		Held at call of Clerk. Monthly Mtg. held in Saylesville in May, July, Sept. and November	J. Rudolph Metz, Clerk
Westerly Monthly Meeting	57 Elm St. Westerly, R. I.	11:00 10:30 July - Sept.		Last Sunday in March, June, Sept., Dec. 12:00	Marjorie B. Taylor, Clerk

SALEM QUARTERLY MEETING

Norman Constantineau, Clerk. To be held Sunday, October 4, at Amesbury; Saturday, January 16, 1965 at Cambridge; Saturday, May 15, 1964 at Lawrence. Worship at 11:00 a.m., business at 1:30 p.m. Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel the same day, time to be arranged, with Lydia Willits as clerk.

Meeting	Location	Sunday Worship	Sunday School	Business Meeting	Clerk & Workers
Amesbury Monthly Mtg.	Friend & Greenleaf Sts., Amesbury, Mass.	2nd & 4th Sundays 10:45 June - Sept.		2nd Sunday after Worship, Jan., April, July, Oct.	Dorothy J. Averill, Clerk
	Averill Home, 14 Beacon St., Amesbury	10:45 Oct. - May			
Cambridge Monthly Mtg.	5 Longfellow Park, Cambridge, Mass.	9:30 & 11:00	9:30 & 11:00	2nd Thursday 7:30	Roderick Firth, Clerk Elmer H. Brown, Secretary
Acton Prep. Meeting	Women's Club Bldg., Acton Center, Mass.	10:00	10:00	1st Sunday, 11:00	J. Huston Westover, Clerk
Boston Mtg. for Worship	6 Chestnut St., Boston, Mass.	11:00	10:00		Ernest H. Weed, Corres.
Framingham Prep. Mtg.	Homes of members. Meetinghouse, corner Edmands & Nixon Rds., Framingham, Mass. to be ready during year	10:45	10:00	4th Wednesday, 8:00 p.m. at home of clerk	John C. Sims, Jr., Clerk
Hingham Prep. Meeting	New England Friends Home, Turkey Hill Lane, Hingham, Mass.	10:30	10:30	At the call of the Clerk	Fritz G. Renken, Clerk

Pembroke Mtg. for Worship	N. Pembroke, Mass. Junction of routes 139 and 53	1st & 3rd Sundays 10:30			Robert A. Navias, Corres.
Lawrence Monthly Mtg.	45 Avon St. Lawrence, Mass.	11:00 10:00 July - Aug.	10:00	1st Wednesday, 7:30	Walter Goddard, Clerk Glenn Douglas, Pastor
Lynn Monthly Meeting	68 Silsbee St., off Broad St., Lynn, Mass.	11:00	9:45	2nd Wednesday, 8:00 p.m.	Clayton Spinney, Clerk James Howard, Pastor
Wellesley Monthly Mtg.	Ten Acre School, Benvenue St. Wellesley, Mass.	10:30	10:30	3rd Thursday, at homes of members, 7:45 p.m.	Garrett S. Hoag, Clerk

SANDWICH QUARTERLY MEETING

Donald C. McLeod, Clerk. Held on the second Saturday in January, April, July and October. July 1964 at Dartmouth, October at Sandwich, January 1965 at New Bedford, April at Westport, and July 1965 at West Falmouth. Worship at 11:00 a.m. with business following. Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel at 10:00 a.m. the same day with Harry Allen as clerk.

Meeting	Location	Sunday Worship	Sunday School	Business Meeting	Clerk & Workers
Allen's Neck Monthly Mtg.	Horseneck Road, Dartmouth, Mass.	9:45	11:00	4th Wednesday, 8:00 p.m.	Hattie Tripp, Clerk
Dartmouth Monthly Mtg.	Smith Neck Rd., S. Dartmouth, Mass.	10:00	9:00	1st Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.	Cora Tripp, Clerk Ellsworth White, Pastor
New Bedford Monthly Mtg.	Spring Street, New Bedford, Mass.			3rd Sunday in June, Sept., Dec., 2:30 p.m.	Bertha Pierce, Clerk

Sandwich Quarterly Meeting (cont.)

Meeting	Location	Sunday Worship	Sunday School	Business Meeting	Clerk & Workers
New Bedford Prep. Mtg.	Spring St., New Bedford, Mass.	11:00		At the call of the Clerk	Ida M. Mesner, Clerk Hinson V. Howlett, Pastor
Long Plain Prep. Mtg.	Main St., Acushnet, Mass.			1st Wednesday after 2nd Thurs. at Acushnet in July; 3rd Sat. in April & Oct. at Mattapoisett; 11:00 a.m.	Bertha Pierce, Clerk
Long Plain Part. Mtg.	Main St., Acushnet, Mass.	7:30 p.m. 2nd Wed., summer			Bessie H. Martin, Corres. Hinson Howlett, Pastor
Mattapoisett Part. Mtg.	Route 6, 8 miles east of New Bedford, Mass.	11:00	10:00		Cynthia J. Power, Corres. Earle D. Wilson, Worker
Sandwich Monthly Meeting				Held at the call of the Clerk	Gordon M. Browne, Jr., Clerk
Sandwich Prep. Meeting	East Sandwich, Mass., off Rt. 6A	11:00 1st Sunday in August			
Yarmouth Prep. Mtg.	North Main St., South Yarmouth, Mass.	10:00	11:10	Last Sunday, after Worship	David Douglas, Clerk
West Falmouth Prep. Mtg.	West Falmouth, Mass.	11:00 July - Aug.			Cecelia H. Fuglister, Clerk

Swansea Monthly Mtg.	Prospect St., Somerset, Mass., 1 mi. north of Rt. 6	9:30	10:30	Held at the call of the Clerk	Dorothy F. Williamson, Clerk Ellsworth B. MacAffee, Pastor
Westport Monthly Mtg.	Main Road, Central Village, Mass.	10:45	9:30	2nd Sunday, after Worship	Stewart Kirkaldy, Clerk J. Franklin Pineo, Pastor

SMITHFIELD QUARTERLY MEETING

Willard H. Ware, Clerk. Held on the third Saturday in April, July, and October. In April at Worcester, Mass.; in July at the Uxbridge Meetinghouse, South Uxbridge, Mass. (starts with picnic lunch at 12:00); and in October at Woonsocket, R. I. Worship at 2:30 and business meeting at 3:30. Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel at 1:30 p.m. with Robert N. Cool as clerk.

Meeting	Location	Sunday Worship	Sunday School	Business Meeting	Clerk & Workers
Bolton Monthly Meeting	Federated at Unitarian Church, Bolton, Mass.	11:00	10:00	Held at call of the Clerk	Margaret Ware, Clerk Howard P. Davis, Pastor
Smithfield Monthly Mtg.	126 Smithfield Rd., Woonsocket, R. I.	11:00	9:45	Last Friday, 7:30 p.m.	Melita B. Fisher, Clerk Robert N. Cool, Pastor
Worcester Monthly Mtg.	19 Oxford St., at Chatham St., Worcester, Mass.	11:00	10:00	2nd Sunday, 7:00 p.m.	Clayton Drown, Clerk Rutherford Everest, Pastor

VASSALBORO QUARTERLY MEETING

Ralph E. Cook, Clerk. Held on the first Saturday in February, August, and October, last Saturday in April, and the second Sunday in November. February at East Vassalboro, Me., April at Winthrop Center, August at South China, October at North Fairfield, and November at Oak Grove School, Vassalboro. Worship at 11:00 a.m., business meeting at 1:30 p.m.; in November Worship is at 2:00 p.m., business meeting at 3:00 p.m. Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel at 1:00 p.m. the same day with Lelia E. Taylor, Clerk.

Meeting	**Location**	**Sunday Worship**	**Sunday School**	**Business Meeting**	**Clerk & Workers**
Camden Monthly Meeting	In homes of members, Camden, Maine	10:30		3rd Sunday, 7:30 p.m. in homes of members	Ralph E. Cook, Clerk
China Monthly Meeting	Community Church, South China, Maine, just off Rt. 202	10:30	11:30	Wednesday after 2nd Thursday, 8:00 p.m.	Marion E. Jones, Clerk David Van Strein, Pastor
North Fairfield Monthly Mtg.	N. Fairfield, Me., Rt. 104, 2½ mi. north of Fairfield Ctr.	10:30 Apr. - Dec.	11:30	3rd Sunday, 12:00, April - December	Eva Otis, Clerk Lelia E. Taylor, Pastor
Oak Grove Monthly Mtg.	Oak Grove School, Vassalboro, Maine	7:30 p.m.		3rd Tuesday, 7:00 p.m., except summer	Robert E. Owen, Clerk
Vassalboro Monthly Mtg.	Upper Pleasant St., East Vassalboro, Me.	10:00	11:00	2nd Sunday, at homes of members, 8:00 p.m.	Annabel I. Cates, Clerk Claude Nutter, Pastor
Winthrop Monthly Meeting	Winthrop Center, Me., Rt. 135, 4 mi. east of Winthrop	11:00 10:00 summer	10:00	Last Sunday, 7:30 p.m.	Hazel C. Foster, Clerk

FRIENDS MEETING IN NEW ENGLAND
BELONGING TO OTHER YEARLY MEETINGS

Meeting	Location	Sunday Worship	Clerk or Correspondent
Monkton Ridge Monthly Meeting (N. Y.)	Monkton Ridge, Vermont	9:30	Marjorie Lawrence, Clerk
Newport, R. I. (Ohio)	21 Farewell Street	11:00	David Jackson, Pastor
Newton Preparative Meeting (N. Y.)	Queen St., Newton, Conn.	11:00	Kirstin Tribby, Clerk
Portsmouth, R. I. (Ohio)	Middle Road at Hedley St.	11:00	Marguerite Briggs, Clerk
Stamford-Greenwich Monthly Meeting	Roxbury Rd., & Westover Rd., at Den Rd. exit of Merritt Pkwy., Stamford, Conn.	10:00	William Merriss, Clerk
Wilton Monthly Meeting (N. Y.)	317 New Canaan Ave., Wilton, Conn.	11:00	Bernice Merritt, Clerk

OTHER MEETINGS FOR WORSHIP

Putney, Vermont	Home of Albert Holzer	11:00	Nathaniel Hendricks, Corres.
Springfield, Mass.	Council of Churches Office, 152 Sumner Ave.	10:00	Robert Nichols, Corres.

OCCASIONAL FRIENDS MEETINGS FOR WORSHIP IN NEW ENGLAND

Location of Meetinghouse	Hour of Worship	Contact Person
Adams, Mass., Friend Street	First Sunday in September, 3:00	Lucy A. Booth
Casco, Maine, Quaker Ridge	Each Sunday during July and August, 2:30	Betsy Maxfield Miller
Dartmouth, Mass., Apponegansett, near Russells Mills	Last Sunday in July, 3:00	Cora Tripp
Henniker, New Hampshire	First Friday in August, 10:30	Henry T. Osborne
Little Compton, R. I.	Last Sunday in August, 3:00	Carleton C. Brownell
Jamestown, Rhode Island	Each Sunday in July and August, 10:30	Catharine M. Wright
Nantucket, Mass., Fair Street	Each Sunday in July and August, 10:45	Hanna D. Monaghan
South Uxbridge, Mass., Rt. 146	Second Sunday in June and October, 3:00	Melita B. Fisher
Unity, N. H. Quaker City, 7 mi. south of Claremont	First Sunday in August, 11:00	Henry T. Osborne
West Epping, New Hampshire	First Sunday in October, 2:00	Mary Blair

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1. The three hundred and fifth session of the New England Yearly Meeting of Friends meeting at Pembroke College in Providence, Rhode Island, June 22 - 27, 1965.

"Dear Friends everywhere...mind the Seed...and forsake not the assembling of yourselves together...."

"Being orderly come together you are not to spend time with needless, unnecessary and fruitless discourses, but to proceed...in the wisdom, love and fellowship of God, in gravity, patience, meekness, in unity and concord, submitting one to another in lowliness of heart,...determining every matter coming before you in love, coolness, gentleness and dear unity." — Francis Howgill.

Coming to Yearly Meeting for the second, third, or fourth time is like going to Heaven. You are surprised at seeing so many of your friends there and you marvel at being there yourself. But, unlike Heaven, you can go home again after it is over.

2. John Elmendorf, Vice-President of Brown University, greeted and welcomed Friends. He outlined some history of the founding of the University in which Friends had some part.

3. Greetings from the Junior Yearly Meeting were presented to the "Elders" Yearly Meeting by Burling McAllester. Their good wishes are received with pleasure.

4. The Roll of Representatives was called:

CONNECTICUT VALLEY: David McAllester, Florence Taylor, Christine Wilson, Rose Schafer, Dorothy Meshenuk, Paul Butterworth, Elizabeth Butterworth, Agnes Harrison, George Bliss, Helen Bliss, and Jean Cochrane.

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5. Visiting Friends are welcome at our sessions: Levinus Painter, Orchard Park Monthly Meeting, New York; Henry and Lydia Cadbury, Philadelphia Yearly Meeting; T. Eugene and Jean Coffin, West Richmond Meeting, Indiana; James and Alice Walker of Philadelphia Yearly Meeting, who are here with members of the Summer Study Tour; T. Raymond Evans, Cleveland Meeting, Ohio; Fred R. Newkirk, Vancouver Meeting, Washington; Frieda Kruse Sherburn, Santa Barbara Meeting, California; Ruth Van Dyke, Corvallis Monthly Meeting, Oregon; James and Caroline Estes, San Francisco Meeting, California; Lawrence McK. Miller, Jr., Doylestown Monthly Meeting, Pennsylvania, a representative of Friends General Conference; Charles and Eleanor Harker, Adelphi Monthly Meeting, Maryland, representing the Friends Committee on National Legislation, and William Griggs, Indiana Yearly Meeting, Young Friends Secretary and Editor of the Friends United Meeting.

6. Louisa White presented the Summary of the Minutes of the Permanent Board.

MINUTES OF THE PERMANENT BOARD SUMMARY
1964-1965

Three regular meetings of the Permanent Board have been held during the year . . on June 21 and December 5, 1964 and on June 22, 1965. The attendance was good at each meeting.

Winslow H. Osborne was reappointed presiding clerk and Louisa White was named recording clerk since John H. Foster resigned because of service in India.

Approval for expenditures for scholarships was given to the sub-committee on Freedman's Funds of the Missionary Committee. The Board approved dividing the George N. Cate bequest thus giving $500 each to Moses Brown and Lincoln Schools.

Newport and Portsmouth Monthly Meetings are now members of Ohio Yearly Meeting (Damascus). However, since New England Yearly Meeting holds, as trustee, both real estate and funds with limiting legal restrictions the situation is complicated. It seemed wise to appoint a new sub-committee to investigate all areas more thoroughly. The following were named to this committee at the June 1964 meeting: Harold W. Myers, Karl H. Erickson, Winslow H. Osborne and Louis J. Marstaller, ex-officio. Members of the committee have attended both Monthly Meetings and held conferences with members during the year. Termination of the trusteeship is now contemplated and the matter will receive further consideration by the Permanent Board when the two Monthly Meetings report their agreement as to their respective responsibility in relation to the proposed division of real estate and funds.

It was reported that an offer of $15,000 had been received for the entire Amesbury property. The Board approved the sale of the property for not less than $15,000 if the New England Friends Home Committee approved.

The Board authorized the China Camp Committee to purchase in the name of New England Yearly Meeting of Friends a parcel of shorefront property on China Lake adjoining the strip now owned which leads to the lake. Funds had been raised or pledged for this purchase which has now been made. The Board minuted its appreciation to Willard Ware whose purchase of an adjoining parcel and whose interest in the camp made the purchase of this land, by the Yearly Meeting, possible.

Louis J. Marstaller, reporting for the China Camp Committee at the June 22nd meeting, said that in widening the road the State of Maine had condemned frontage property belonging to the Yearly Meeting. Since the road will come very close to the meetinghouse which is the focal point of camp activities it seems necessary to move the building back. Several beautiful trees will also be lost. The China Camp Committee did not feel that the offer by the State of $810 was adequate and the matter has been referred to the Land Damage Board. The Permanent Board authorized the China Camp Committee to proceed as seems best with or without court action.

The Board further approved authorizing the Yearly Meeting Clerk and the Yearly Meeting Treasurer to sign deeds covering personal right use of the beach and a right of way to Edith and Willard Ware whose property now adjoins that of the Yearly Meeting. Authorization was also given to the Yearly Meeting Clerk and Treasurer to sign any papers related to easement rights for utility purposes, as may be approved by the China Camp Committee, in relation to said property.

The Special Committee on State Laws affecting New England Yearly Meeting of Friends has done considerable work on this matter. (A list of "Some Laws pertaining to or applicable to Friends in New England" may be found in an appendix to the 1965 Edition of "Faith and Practice.")

The Board approved sending a letter of information and inquiry to the Quarterly Meetings in Maine and Vermont to determine the need or desirability of changing their state laws in regard to marriage.

John Pratt Whitman bequeathed one-fourth of his residuary estate to New England Yearly Meeting of Friends. This was an unrestricted gift and the Board approved its use as follows: 1/3 for use of the China Camp Committee; 1/3 for use of the Young Friends Secretary; 1/3 for use of the Five Years Meeting Mission Board with an indication of interest in Kenya or Jordan.

The Board approved adding the name of the Clerk of the Yearly Meeting of Friends to be authorized to sign checks drawn on funds of the Yearly Meeting under the control of the Treasurer, each person to be authorized to sign singly; and the Permanent Board approves including the name of the Clerk of New England Yearly Meeting of Friends in the bond covering the Treasurer.

Approval was given to the request of the Investments and Permanent Funds Committee to change the name back to its former one, that is, Board of Managers of Investments and Permanent Funds.

The Board approved changing the name of the Student Loan Committee to the Student Loan and Scholarship Committee and authorized the committee to function in both capacities if and when scholarship funds become available.

Memorials for the following members of the New England Yearly Meeting of Friends have been received, read and forwarded to the Clerk of the Yearly Meeting with the recommendation that they be included in the printed Yearly Meeting Minutes: Oliver M. Frazer, Edna G. Gifford, Walter L. Goddard, Amy S. Hayden, Rebecca H. Perry, and Bradford Smith. The Board approved sending a memorial minute to the family of James Reeb, who at the time of his death in Birmingham, Alabama, was on the staff of the New England Regional Office of the American Friends Service Committee.

WINSLOW H. OSBORNE, Clerk

7. Samuel Burgess presented the Report of the Executive Council. It is received with gratitude. Much time and thought has been given to the place of holding Yearly Meeting Sessions in 1966. The recommendation for meeting at the University of Massachusetts in Amherst, Massachusetts was presented. The meeting unites with this plan.

A suggestion is made and will be considered that dormitory space be available the night before the opening of our sessions.

REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL

The Executive Council has met five times since the Yearly Meeting sessions of June 1964, with generally good attendance; on September 26 and November 16, 1964, January 16, March 14, and May 23, 1965, all at the Cambridge Friends Center.

Much of the business of our meetings has been concerned with those plans for Yearly Meeting which fall outside the province of the Arrangements Committee. The dropping of the departmental structure has left many of the details unattended, and the Executive Council has undertaken such of these details as has seemed proper. Much of the task of acquiring speakers and handling other arrangements has fallen to us. A worship-workshop is to be undertaken by the Council itself this year, on "Friends Responsibility for their Public Schools."

Reports of the Field Secretary and the Young Friends Secretary have been received and it is the feeling of the Council that these important officers of the Yearly Meeting are carrying out their duties in an exemplary fashion.

A subcommittee of the Executive Council has examined in some detail fourteen possible sites for the 1966 sessions of the Yearly Meeting, and their report highly recommending the University of Massachusetts at Amherst, Massachusetts, June 21 - 26, 1966, has been approved for forwarding to the Permanent Board.

The Council is continuing its inquiry into the possible realignment of our Quarterly Meetings along state lines, or other possible changes. A number of comments have been received, both pro and con. It is hoped that this matter will be actively discussed, since it has many advantages and disadvantages. Certainly nothing can be done until further discussion has led the Yearly Meeting toward a unity of opinion.

8. A memorial was read for Rebecca Hutton Perry.

MEMORIAL TO REBECCA HUTTON PERRY

Rebecca Hutton Perry, a life-long and devoted member of Friends, passed on in her 79th year, on Tenth Month 30, 1964, at her Boston residence.

She was born in Bryn Mawr, Pa., the daughter of Finley and Agnes V. (McGrew) Hutton, continuing a long line of Quakers from the early days. She attended Friends Boarding School at Barnesville, Ohio, and Westtown School in Pennsylvania. Later she took courses at Bouve School of Physical Education in Boston. On Tenth Month 6, 1909, she married the late Arthur Perry, who died on Second Month 10, 1963.

Although her primary interests were for her family, her children and grandchildren, she also had a deep concern for civic, charitable and philanthropic causes, among which were the building of the Y.W.C.A. Berkeley Street Residence, the Family Service Institute, the development of Simmons College (of which Arthur was a Trustee) and yearly participation in Community Fund drives.

She brought her membership in the Society of Friends to Friends Meeting at Cambridge at the time, in Ninth Month 1944, when the consolidation of the two existing meeting groups was carried out. Here she gave devoted service as a member of the Meeting on Ministry and Counsel.

Friends will think of Rebecca Perry as a capable but gentle woman, generous of her time and effort, decisive in her thinking and outspoken in expression of her beliefs.

9. A memorial to Walter L. Goddard was read.

MEMORIAL TO WALTER L. GODDARD

Early in the morning of November 28, 1964 Friends learned that Walter L. Goddard had quietly been called to his reward. His gain will be our loss, as he was a faithful member and attender of Lawrence Friends Meeting.

Born in Lawrence, he attended the schools there, graduating from Lowell Technological Institute. During World War I he served in France with the American Friends Service Committee as a Conscientious Objector after serving as such in the hospital at Camp Devens until his release to the Service Committee. We who knew him know how deep his convictions were then and now.

Walter Goddard served his Meeting faithfully. He was an Elder, Clerk of the Monthly Meeting, and a member of the Men's Class of the Sunday School.

"And I heard a voice from Heaven saying unto me, Write, Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord from henceforth: Yea, saith the Spirit, that they may rest from their labours: and their works do follow them." Rev. 14:13.

10. Delbert Replogle and Gilbert Perleberg from New York Yearly Meeting were welcomed to our sessions.

11. George Selleck presented the report of the Discipline Revision Committee. Two suggested changes in Part II were described and approved to be presented for final action next year.

The main part of the work this year has been on Chapters Four, Five, and Six. Final action on the Discipline will be taken later in the week.

DISCIPLINE REVISION COMMITTEE

During this past year the committee has completed its work of revision, and now presents a draft of the three remaining chapters of Part I on **Faith and Life.** In addition, we present a new draft of chapter I on Historical Backround, as well as a new set of Queries for Ministry and Counsel. We also include the Queries for Boys and Girls which many meetings have found useful. We have tried both to be aware of modern needs and to be conscious of our spiritual heritage.

It has been brought to the committee's attention that two changes should be made in Part II on "Practice and Procedure" which was adopted by the Yearly Meeting last year. Our committee therefore presents them to the Yearly Meeting as changes that should be made according to the section on Revising the Discipline.

1. Our present Discipline does not include any authorization for a Monthly Meeting to hold property. Therefore, under "F. The Monthly Meeting," insert the following words: "holds and administers real estate and other property."

2. Confusion appears to have arisen in interpreting the paragraph on "Overseers" on page 14. We therefore recommend a rewording of that paragraph as follows:

"**Overseers.** In larger Meetings a portion of the duties of the Monthly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel may at the option of the Monthly Meeting be assigned to a separate body to be known as Overseers. Overseers may be appointed in the same way as the Meeting on Ministry and Counsel. When established, the Overseers may report their recommendations directly to the Monthly Meeting. Overseers and the Meeting on Ministry and Counsel should meet jointly from time to time to ensure a common understanding of their respective responsibilities and of Meeting problems."

12. John S. Taylor presented the Report of the Treasurer. He announced bequests that have come to the Yearly Meeting from the estates of John Pratt Whitman and Mary Abbie Wheeler Spencer.

The Treasurer's report is received subject to approval when audited. (See Minute 26).

REPORT OF THE TREASURER
NEW ENGLAND YEARLY MEETING OF FRIENDS
June 1, 1964 through May 31, 1965

Summary of Budget Account	
Budget contributions from Meetings	$26,337.64
Total Budget adopted June, 1964	29,112.00
Amount received from Meetings last year	24,694.25
Percentage increase of receipts from Meetings this year over last	6.65%
Total budget expenses (including transfers)	28,086.74

Percentage of budget actually received (including income from invested funds)	99.99%
Total budget receipts	$29,229.16

RECEIPTS

BUDGET RECEIPTS:

Receipts from Meetings

Connecticut Valley	
Guilford	$ 150.00
Hartford	2,500.00
Middletown	250.00
Mount Toby	500.00
New Haven	540.00
Monadnock	120.00
Pleasant Street	188.00
Storrs	150.00
	$4,398.00

Dover	
Dover Monthly Meeting	
Dover Part. Mtg.	$ 100.00
Gonic	166.25
Weare	100.00
	$ 366.25

Falmouth	
Durham	$1,104.00
Falmouth (Oak St.)	912.00
Forest Avenue	437.00
Parsonsfield	10.00
Sandwich	110.00
Windham	44.50
	$2,617.50

Northwest	
Bennington	$ 120.00
Burlington	487.50
Hanover	440.00
	$1,047.50

Rhode Island	
North Dartmouth	$ 300.00
Providence	2,600.00
Westerly	600.00
	$3,500.00

Salem	
Amesbury	$ 120.00
Cambridge	5,030.00
Lawrence	805.00
Lynn	480.00
Wellesley	1,000.00
	$7,435.00

Sandwich	
Allen's Neck	$ 400.00
Dartmouth (Smith's Neck)	250.00
New Bedford Mth. Mtg.	
Preparative	810.00
Long Plain	60.00
Mattapoisett	320.00
Sandwich	
East Sandwich	200.00
West Falmouth	229.62
Yarmouth	520.00
Swansea	500.00
Westport	100.00
	$3,389.62

Smithfield	
Bolton	$ 300.00
Smithfield	698.77
Worcester	910.00
	$1,908.77

Vassalboro	
Camden	$ 90.00
China	150.00
North Fairfield	220.00
Oak Grove	150.00
Vassalboro	740.00
Winthrop	325.00
	$1,675.00

TOTAL RECEIVED FROM MEETINGS	$26,337.64

QUARTERLY MEETING PER CAPITA FOR BUDGET

	Members	Per Capita	Total
Connecticut Valley	582	$7.56	$ 4,398.00
Dover	197	1.86	366.25
Falmouth	369	7.09	2,617.50
Northwest	108	9.70	1,047.50
Rhode Island	271	12.92	3,500.00
Salem	775	9.59	7,435.00
Sandwich	471	7.19	3,389.62
Smithfield	266	7.25	1,908.77
Vassalboro	243	6.89	1,675.00
	3,282	$8.02	$26,337.64

Total Received from Meetings	$26,337.64
Income from Invested Funds	377.39
Women's Missionary Society	600.00
Income from Missionary Funds	1,489.25
Special Contributions	280.31
Incidental Receipts to Budget	19.75
Refunds	125.00
TOTAL BUDGET RECEIPTS	$29,229.16

Miscellaneous Receipts:

Executive Council (Invested Funds)		$ 54.56
Meetings and Extensions Committee (Invested Funds)		61.46
General Equalization Fund (Contributions)		1,395.15
Mosher Book and Tract Fund (Invested Funds)		592.94
Fund for Printing the Discipline (from sales)		129.50
Student Loan Committee		
Interest on Loans	86.47	
Interest (Cumberland Savings and Loan)	42.48	
Interest (Roger Williams Svg. & Loan)	366.07	
Repayment of Loans	1,046.77	1,541.79
Kirby Fund — Income from Invested Funds		90.69
H. Camp Fund — Income from Invested Funds		36.95
J. P. & J. A. Boyce Fund — Income from Invested Funds		41.65
B. F. Knowles Fund		
Interest on Invested Funds	827.12	
Interest on Roger Williams S. and L.	160.59	987.71
George Sturge Fund — Income from Invested Funds		1,008.84
Anna M. Brown Fund		272.81
China Camp — Contributions		274.14
Land Purchase		2,775.00
Book Sales		1.95
Rec'd for Rooms and Meals at Yearly Meeting		5,547.25
Youth Worker Contributions		3,378.94
J. P. Whitman Bequest	3,805.36	
Interest	68.42	3,868.78
M. A. Spencer Bequest		1,500.00
Special Gifts — Transit		
F. C. N. L.	75.00	
Missions	341.76	416.76
TOTAL MISCELLANEOUS RECEIPTS		$23,976.87

EXPENDITURES

Budget Expenses	Budget	Refunds	Cash Paym'ts	Transfer Paym'ts
Five Yrs. Mtg. Act.	$6,000.00		$6,000.00	
Five Yrs. Mtg. Expenses				
Assessment $1 per member	3,282.00		3,282.00	
Friends General Conference	500.00		500.00	
Peace Committee	300.00		299.48	
Church Peace Mission	50.00		50.00	
Social Concerns Committee	250.00		191.84	
Christian Education Com.	450.00	$100.00	409.15	
Junior Yearly Meeting	250.00		92.50	$ 72.50
Friends Comm. on Nat'l. Legisl.	200.00		200.00	
Friends World Committee	350.00		350.00	
Young Friends Committee	150.00		150.00	
Young Friends Yrly. Mtg.	325.00	15.45	193.14	157.00
Mtg. and Ext. Committee	500.00		495.02	

Executive Council	150.00	25.00	72.00	
Missionary Committee	50.00		50.00	
Archives and Hist. Records	200.00		200.00	
N. Eng. Friends Home Comm.	500.00		500.00	
China Camp Committee	100.00		100.00	
Five Yrs. Mtg. Committee	100.00		25.86	
Travel Expenses for Repres. of the Yearly Mtg. to A.F.S.C., Friends World Comm. and Fellowship Council, F.C.N.L., FYM Boards, and Friends Gen'l Conf. Central Committee	300.00		142.24	
Travel for FYM Repres.	300.00		300.00	
Field Secretary, Salary	4,800.00		4,800.00	
Field Secretary, Retirement	480.00		480.00	
Field Secretary, Travel	2,000.00		1,924.51	
Yearly Meeting Office				
Salary	1,500.00		1,500.00	
Rent	300.00		400.00	
Equipment and Supplies	1,000.00	4.12	852.54	32.50
Yearly Mtg. Clerk Expense	75.00		75.00	
Yearly Mtg. Treas. Expense	700.00		669.88	
Printing Minutes	850.00		844.00	
Yearly Meeting Sessions	900.00		359.96	
Friends Council on Education	100.00		100.00	
Young Friends Worker	2,000.00			2,000.00
Contingencies	100.00			
Prepaid Withholding			7.40	
	$29,112.00		$25,316.52	$2,772.00
TOTAL BUDGET DEBITS				$28,086.74

Miscellaneous Expenses

General Equalization Fund — Authorized Transfers		$ 1,127.75
Mosher Book and Tract Comm.		
Friends Book Store	194.73	
United Society of Friends Women	20.30	
Quaker Life	40.50	
Friends Book and Supply House	161.71	
Friends Journal	10.00	
The Friend	7.50	
Misc. Administration Expense	13.00	447.74
Fund For Printing Discipline		214.93
Student Loan Committee		
New Loans	650.00	
Administration Expense	4.40	654.40
George Sturge Fund		
Christiansburg Institute		400.00
B. F. KNOWLES Fund		
St. Augustine College	1,750.00	
University of North Carolina	500.00	
Meharry Medical College	500.00	2,750.00
Transit Accounts		
Missions	341.76	
F. C. N. L.	75.00	416.76
Kirby Fund		50.00
China Camp Gifts		164.14
Pembroke College — Rooms and Meals		6,429.00
Moses Brown School — Rooms, Young Friends		100.00

Hayden Property — Maintenance Expense		45.25
John Pratt Whitman Bequest — Distribution		
Five Years Meeting Missions	1,289.60	
China Camp	1,289.59	
Young Friends Worker	1,289.59	3,868.78
Mary Abbie Spencer Bequest — Distribution		
Five Years Meeting	500.00	
Lincoln School for Wheeler Scholarship Fund	500.00	
Moses Brown School	500.00	1,500.00
China Camp Land Purchase		
J. A. Michaud	2,300.00	
Treas. China Camp	475.00	2,775.00
Young Friends Worker		4,744.58
Field Secretary Retirement — Invested		220.00
TOTAL MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES		$24,780.58
Balance on hand, June 1, 1964	$31,959.10	
Budget Receipts	29,229.16	
Miscellaneous Receipts — Cash	23,450.21	
Miscellaneous Receipts — Other	526.66	$85,165.13
Budget Expenses	25,316.52	
Miscellaneous Expenses	24,780.58	50,097.10
On hand, May 31, 1965		$35,068.03
General Equalization Fund	1,654.27	
Fund for Printing Discipline	612.21	
Student Loan Committee	11,218.81	
Field Secretary Retirement Fund	220.00	
Combined Budget	5,699.98	
Mosher Book and Tract Fund	615.23	
Wayside Pulpit Fund	6.00	
S. B. Kirby Fund	445.51	
J. P. & J. A. Boyce Fund	98.72	
H. Camp Fund	87.59	
A. Brown Fund	2,454.99	
B. F. Knowles Fund	3,031.95	
George Sturge Fund	1,102.18	
Withheld Income Tax	35.20	
Meetings and Extension Committee	303.18	
Five Years Meeting Travel Fund	642.95	
Executive Council — Misc. Receipts	338.65	
Young Friends Worker Gifts	7,866.84	
Young Friends Worker — Svg. Acc't. Income	202.14	
Young Friends Worker — Budget Allotment	4,000.00	
China Camp — Misc. Gifts	110.00	$40,746.40
Less Debit Balances		
Book Sales	141.23	
Petty Cash	50.00	
Accounts Receivable	19.75	
Young Friends Worker-Demand Deposit	5,202.14	
Field Secretary Retirement Deposit	220.00	
Hayden Property Maintenance	45.25	5,678.37
		$35,068.03
Industrial National Bank of Providence, Checking Account		$20,502.61
5 Prepaid Shares Cumberland Savings and Loan Association, Portland, Maine (Student Loan)		1,000.00

Roger Williams Savings and Loan Association, Providence, Savings Account (Student Loan)	9,429.69
Roger Williams Savings and Loan Association, Providence, Savings Account (B. F. Knowles Fund)	4,135.73
	$35,068.03

FUNDS HELD BY NEW ENGLAND YEARLY MEETING AS TRUSTEE FOR RHODE ISLAND MONTHLY MEETING OF FRIENDS

Balance, June 1, 1964		$15,198.29
Receipts:		
Newport National Bank	183.75	
Industrial National Bank	467.00	
Cash on Hand — Deposited	.02	
Refund Rights Purchase	.09	
Withdrawal — Lawton Fund	50.00	
Savings Bank Interest	581.84	1,282.70
Expenditures:		
Richard Bell, Treas. — Portsmouth	350.00	
H. W. McPherson and Son — Newport	144.53	
Industrial National Bank — Rights Purchase	9.90	
Treas. — Newport Friends Sunday School	50.00	554.43
Balance May 31, 1965		$15,926.56
The Savings Bank of Newport (7 Accounts)	11,892.01	
Rhode Island Hospital Trust	303.73	
Industrial Nat'l Bank — Savings Acc't	2,019.31	
Industrial Nat'l Bank — Checking Acc't	1,661.42	
Savings Bank of Newport — Lawton Fund — Dividends Withdrawn	50.00	
Industrial National Bank — Refund	.09	$15,926.56
Securities Held		
236 Shares — Industrial National Bank		
75 Shares — Newport National Bank		

JOHN S. TAYLOR, Treasurer

13. Finley H. Perry presented the report of the Finance Committee. This report included the first draft of the Budget for review and consideration.

14. Thyra Jane Foster spoke to the report of the Archives and Historical Records Committee. Since the report was written a new development has sparked special interest. The New Bedford Public Library has given all of its collection of Quaker pamphlets and periodicals to the care of this Committee at John Carter Brown Memorial Library. Some of the material is files of Friends publications but of great interest is a group of forty-nine pamphlets published before 1700.

The report is accepted with appreciation for the work of this committee.

REPORT OF THE ARCHIVES AND HISTORICAL RECORDS COMMITTEE

The Committee has held four meetings during the year marked by good attendance. The unfolding, pressing and sorting of the many papers, moved last year with our records to John Carter Brown Library, has gone on during the year and is now finished. They have filled sixty-six standard filing cases. We are about to begin the actual cataloging of this large amount of material. The staff of the John Carter Brown Library have been very helpful. In cooperation with Helen Paxton of Moses Brown School, we have arranged for the restoration of Moses Brown and Obadiah Brown's libraries which are in the vault at the School.

An increasing amount of genealogical work, using our records, has been done by the Chairman. All the Friends Colleges which have Quaker Collections, Haverford, Swarthmore, Earlham, Guilford, have been visited by the Chairman. In each, the Librarians have kindly explained their systems.

We wish to remind Friends to send us items of historical interest and to note particularly current material in their Meetings which should be preserved.

15. Edith C. Ware presented the report of the Mosher Book and Tract Committee. It is accepted.

REPORT OF THE MOSHER BOOK AND TRACT COMMITTEE

The Mosher Book and Tract Committee is still supplying books and periodicals to Monthly and Preparative Meetings in each Quarter of the Yearly Meeting. The number of requests for both Quaker Life and Friends Journal has risen slightly this year.

We found we expended from the account more than was received last year, so we have asked the Meetings to stick more closely to the rules of ordering three books for Monthly Meetings and one book for Preparative Meetings.

Again we have supplied Quaker Life to the two schools in Ramallah. Also Quaker Life, Friends Journal and The Friend have been sent to the Friends Home in Hingham.

16. Jane E. Cook and Marion E. Kelsey were asked to return greetings to Junior Yearly Meeting during this week.

17. A memorial was read for Edna Gifford.

MEMORIAL TO EDNA GARDNER GIFFORD

It is with deep sorrow that Providence Monthly Meeting records the death of Edna Gardner Gifford on Seventh Month 22, 1964. The daughter of Edmund Gardner and Phebe Jane Manchester Gifford, she was born in Westport, Massachusetts on Fourth Month 24, 1896.

Her early education was received in the public schools of Westport; her secondary school years were spent at Moses Brown School from which she was graduated in 1914. She later attended the Woolman School (now Pendle Hill).

All of her life was associated with service to the Society of Friends.

In the 1920's she served the Yearly Meeting as a member-at-large of the Young Friends Board and then for a number of years as Secretary of the Board. She was a prime mover during these years in inaugurating more vigorous activities for Young Friends in New England not only during the Yearly Meeting sessions but throughout the year.

Edna Gifford's home was a place of warm hospitality. She sang, played the piano, painted, did exquisite handwork. Her whole life was marked by an interest in and love for the people with whom she came in contact, and she found great joy and satisfaction in her selfless devotion to others.

18. Greetings through epistles from Japan Yearly Meeting, the first meeting of New Zealand Yearly Meeting, Switzerland Yearly Meeting, Jamaica Yearly Meeting, and London Yearly Meeting were read by members of the Correspondence Committee.

19. Lawrence McK. Miller, Jr., although representing the Friends General Conference, spoke first about the **Friends Journal** and made some suggestions for its use in local meetings.

Lawrence Miller gave a careful survey of the geographical scope of the Friends General Conference. He spoke warmly of the contribution to the Conference by the constituent meetings. There is no doubt that this is a two way avenue and much life and thought flow out to the member meetings from the staff in Philadelphia. The loss of Bernard Walton is keenly felt but other Friends try to take up his warm interest in visiting meetings. The Conferences remain a very important part of drawing together many Friends for study, inspiration, and recreation.

The changing patterns in our time are being considered carefully. Questions of automation, leisure, and employment; the population change and growth; revolution in morals; student involvement in civil rights; the threat of nuclear war are all a part of the concerns of this Conference.

The Meeting House Fund has been growing and has been able to help in the building of two New England Meetings; Mt. Toby and Framingham Preparative Meeting. The Religious Education Committee has been very active in trying to work out new materials for adults as well as for children.

20. James F. Walker, former Chairman of the Friends World Committee, spoke about some of the activities of the Committee. The office in the mid-western part of our country has moved from Wilmington, Ohio to Plainfield, Indiana. The Quaker Pilgrimage to the North of England will be led by George and Helen Bliss, and three of our Young Friends will join the group: Gerald Bliss, Stephen Curwood, and

Kathleen Taylor. The Quaker United Nations Program goes forward under the Chairmanship of Thomas Bodine. There has been continued interest in having observers at the Vatican Council. The reports of these observers have been very valuable. Friends look forward with keen interest to the Conference in 1967 which will be held at Guilford College, North Carolina. Perhaps we can consider this an era of discovery — Friends discovering each other!

A message from one of the representatives to the World Committee meetings in Waterford, Ireland concluded this report.

21. Ruth D. B. White spoke to the report of the Missionary Committee and explained more fully the work of the Freedman's Fund which is administered by this Committee. The response from the individuals assisted by this Fund is very heartening.

REPORT OF THE MISSIONARY COMMITTEE

Levinus Painter, Pastor and lecturer from New York Yearly Meeting, is to be resource leader for the Worship-Workshop for the Yearly Meeting sessions. He has visited recently with Friends groups in his travels around the world. Quaker Ministry and Outreach, in East Asia, India and the Middle East, East Africa, and America will be considered. Elmer Brown, who has had experience in Japan and Korea, will be present to add to the discussion on East Asia, and Willard Ware will assist with up to date information whenever possible. Slides will be used to point up certain phases of the work. On Thursday evening Levinus Painter will bring a message to the entire assembly in a public meeting on "Expanding Horizons of Quaker Outreach."

ANNIE S. DERNIER, Chairman

22. Edwin E. Hinshaw, Young Friends Secretary, serves the Yearly Meeting with enthusiasm. This is his first opportunity to report on the position which was created a year ago. The work that he is doing is important as it draws Friends together in directing work for teen-agers and Young Friends. He cannot do it all but reminds us to be aware of Colleges near our Meetings and the seeking for ways to express religious concerns that goes on among students. This period when Young Friends are lessening family ties is a time when Friends must be sensitive to their need to be included in our larger bodies.

REPORT OF THE YOUNG FRIENDS SECRETARY

First, I wish to thank the **Yearly Meeting** for providing the opportunity of serving Friends in this manner. It is work I enjoy; challenging and frustrating. However, the job description of this position is an impossibility for one person. I view the description as what **we are to do together** as a Yearly Meeting for, and with, young people.

Since September last, several encouraging signs have been seen.

1) Young Friends Mid-winter Conference doubled in attendance. This is an indication that the lines of communication are being cleared between Yearly Meeting activities and local Monthly Meeting youth.

2) The Young Friends **Crier**, started over a year ago, has increased its circulation to about 350 Young Friends.

3) A book list was prepared to encourage Young Friends' programs in the local meetings. The problem is imaginative leadership committed to the time and patience needed for youth activities.

4) Arising out of last year's Yearly Meeting an experimental Quarterly Meeting group has been meeting. This group meets monthly for discussion, projects and fellowship suppers.

5) In cooperation with the China Camp Committee and the director, I have been working on a camp program which over a three year period would introduce youth to a fairly broad understanding of Quaker and Christian traditions.

6) Monthly Meeting and Quarterly Meeting visitation is an important means of establishing lines of communication.

7) At Durham, a day conference was held to examine the meeting's ministry to youth in the community. Perhaps the most insight was received in working out the program together. Some increased youth activity in meeting is being reported. However, this is probably due to the continued efforts of the two young adults working with the youth.

8) Through a series of favorable circumstances a college age retreat came to be held over Easter weekend. Twenty older Young Friends and interested persons met, reaching one of the deepest spiritual fellowships I have ever experienced in a weekend.

9) I attended the Christian Education Committee and Youth Department of Five Years Meeting for New England Yearly Meeting.

10) There are other activities in which I am involved, i.e., Maine Quaker Youth Fellowship, Arrangements Committee for Woolman Hill Conference and Young Friends Yearly Meeting. Nine Young Friends attended a Washington Seminar of the Five Years Meeting and Friends Committee on National Legislation.

The year ahead will of course include the continuation of the above activities. Monthly Meetings, especially Ministry and Counsels, are encouraged to be aware of (a) the nearest college and extend the arm of friendship through personal visits; (b) youth who became teenagers almost overnight; (c) family needs in a non-family society. Concerning this point, Young Friends have expressed that they are not so much interested in separate activities, but want to be a part of a religious fellowship which involves all, young and old. (d) There is great need for **leadership which will participate and grow with youth.**

EDWIN HINSHAW

23. Louis J. Marstaller, Field Secretary, who has an opportunity to visit widely in our Meetings, knows our work well. He urges review and strengthening of our committee work. Love, patience, and good judgement are needed. Friends must think and strive carefully toward the deeper understanding of the spiritual aspect of committee work.

Affection and appreciation for the work of Louis Marstaller and his family was expressed.

REPORT OF THE FIELD SECRETARY

One cannot travel about 21,000 miles visiting Meetings, committees, conferences, and individual Friends as I have during the past year without gathering certain impressions of the state of our Society.

Friends concerns for national and international issues have led many to expend time and energy to try to help resolve these problems. Others faithfully attend to local affairs.

The attendance I have observed at Yearly Meeting committees and some Quarterly Meetings though has been rather small, making one question the role or problems of these groups. Several items appear: the relevance of work of the committee or meeting isn't known, or doesn't seem important; the pressure of school, work or other interests forces the Meeting out; and the length of time it takes to resolve minor issues discourages many. I suggest we need more education among our members regarding our and other Friends' activities and we need to continually review the role of our committees and meetings to see that they are relevant.

The growth and development of several Meetings and numerous younger families in many Meetings gives one optimism for the future. The good response of young people to Ed Hinshaw and the Young Friends program is very encouraging. Friends gifts to China Camp and other projects evidence great concern.

If we try to live as Christ taught and obey the light we have, the love we show will inspire others.

LOUIS MARSTALLER

24. Clarabel H. Marstaller reported on the work of the office secretary. There is increased office activity as committee work grows in volume. The added effort is appreciated and volunteer help is often needed and forth-coming from nearby Meetings.

REPORT OF THE YEARLY MEETING OFFICE

The Yearly Meeting Office has edited and published four issues of THE NEW ENGLAND FRIEND; guided the Minute book, Preliminary Announcement and Calendar of the Yearly Meeting through their printing process and distributed them; sent out committee notices, flyers, and minutes on request; prepared and distributed these mimeographed reports; mimeographed and assembled the latest revised section of **Faith and Practice**; kept the mailing list up-to-date; addressed envelopes using our mailing list for the **Friends Journal** and the Five Years Meeting; plus miscellaneous items.

Friends from Durham and the two Portland Meetings have been faithful in assistance with the bulk mailings.

CLARABEL MARSTALLER, Office Secretary

25. The Executive Council recommends that Louis Marstaller continue as Field Secretary; Clarabel Marstaller as Office Secretary; Edwin E. Hinshaw as Young Friends Secretary. These appointments are approved. The recommendation that the Office remain in Freeport, Maine was also approved.

26. The report of the Auditor for our Treasurer's report of

1964 was read and accepted. The report of J. Franklin Pineo and Clayton T. Drown, Auditors, certify that they have examined the accounts of New England Yearly Meeting, 1965, and find them in satisfactory order. With the receipt of this report the Yearly Meeting approved the acceptance of the Treasurer's Report referred to in Minute 12.

27. The Nominating Committee brought forward names of Friends to serve on the following Boards and Committees: Permanent Board, Executive Council, Archives and Historical Records, Auditors of the Permanent Funds, China Camp Committee, Christian Education Committee, Correspondence Committee, Discipline Revision Committee, Equalization Fund Committee, Friends General Conference Committee, Board of Managers of Investments and Permanent Funds, Meetings and Extension Committee, Missionary Committee, Moses Brown School and Lincoln School Committee, Mosher Book and Tract Committee, New England Friends Home Committee, Representatives on American Friends Service Committee, Inc., Friends Committee on National Legislation, Friends Council on Education, Friends World Committee, American Section and Fellowship Council, Quaker Men, Board of Directors of the Massachusetts Council of Churches, State Board of United Church Women of Massachusetts, and Student Loan and Scholarship Committee.

28. Dorothy J. Averill reported for the United Society of Friends Women. She carefully outlined the history of the Women's Missionary Society now introduced under a new title but carrying on the concerns started more that a hundred years ago. The United Society goes forward with many areas of new activity but the same spirit stemming from the dedicated lives of many Friends.

29. Stanley Aldrich presented the China Camp Committee report. The contributions received for purchases were very much appreciated. The State of Maine has classified the Camp as a Class "B" camp because it does not have a qualified infirmary. David Wetherell was introduced as the new Camp Director. He outlined the program that is planned for the coming season.

REPORT OF THE CHINA CAMP COMMITTEE

China Camp for 1964 was directed by Jack and Susan Smith, assisted by David Wetherell. The elementary school session was operated at capacity with 24 campers. The High School and Junior High sessions were operated with 8 and 16 campers respectively. Campers came from 17 Meetings. Since some elementary age campers were turned away last year, it was decided to operate Camp in 1965 with a total of four two-week sessions: two for elementary and one each for High School and Junior High.

After the 1964 camp sessions, special money was raised to further develop China Camp. Already additional lake frontage and play areas have been purchased. Plans are being made to improve the lake frontage, and to obtain water from a nearby spring.

The facilities of China Camp were used by the Maine Quaker Youth Fellowship during the last week of August.

CHINA CAMP TREASURER'S REPORT

1964

February 1, 1964 Cash on Hand		$ 633.38
Income:		
Camp Fees	1815.50	
Donations	523.53	
Miscellaneous	5.73	
Total Income		2,344.76
Total		$2,978.14
Expenses:		
Salaries	1350.00	
Food	554.21	
Insurance	318.50	
Utilities	168.56	
Supplies	128.60	
Building material	19.67	
Transportation	89.25	
Land Option	100.00	
Miscellaneous	80.32	
Total Expense		2,809.11
February 28, 1965		$ 169.03

GEORGE CATES, Treasurer

30. Gwendolyn Halewood presented the report of the Hingham Home for the New England Friends Home Committee.

NEW ENGLAND FRIENDS HOME COMMITTEE

The Home still has thirteen guests who appear to be contented and happy. Nine are Friends and four non-Friends. The Home is operating at full capacity.

In the third year of our operation of the Home, the Commonwealth of Massachusetts has come up with some new regulations governing activities such as ours. The Home must be directly connected with the town fire station. This will be done in the near future. Other changes must be made before long. We have no other alternative but to comply.

The Amesbury property still remains unsold.

The Home will profit from bequests in the will of the late Amy Hayden of Providence Monthly Meeting.

The Home Committee is now providing Blue Cross and Blue Shield insurance for the staff.

Many visiting Friends attend Meeting for Worship held at the Home each First Day. Again we want to mention that the sewing committee is very busy. We hope that visiting Friends will continue to show the slides of their travels to the residents of the Home — who very much enjoy them.

NEW ENGLAND FRIENDS HOME
STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENSES

Fiscal Year Ended March 31, 1965

INCOME

Room rents and meals		$22,789.42	
Meals served visitors		208.00	
Income from Trust Funds		7,937.01	
From N.E. Yearly Meeting		1,500.00	
Gifts		132.00	
Interest on Bank Deposits		8.00	
Miscellaneous Income		7.00	
			$32,581.43

EXPENSES

Provisions		4,014.79	
Supplies		375.68	
Utilities			
Telephone	326.88		
Gas	2,964.08		
Water	192.22		
Electricity	531.68	4,014.86	
Laundry		172.81	
Maintenance		1,102.70	
Salaries		11,021.27	
Insurance		812.60	
Blue Cross		103.95	
Travel		359.70	
Repairs		1,251.18	
Payroll Taxes		477.56	
			23,924.10
Excess of Income over expenses			8,657.33
Cash Balance at start			6,437.55
Cash Balance at end			15,094.88
Plus unpaid withholding			124.01
			$15,218.89
National Bank Plymouth County		$10,118.89	
Provident Inst. for Savings		5,000.00	
Petty Cash		100.00	
		$15,218.89	

HENRY W. STOKES, Treasurer

31. A report of New England Friends Home Fund Drive was presented from Finley H. Perry.

NEW ENGLAND FRIENDS HOME FUND DRIVE
1961—1964
TREASURER'S REPORT

June 22, 1965

Receipts:

Loan from Huntington Home operating funds	$ 1,500.00
Contributions made prior to fund drive	715.76
Fund drive contributions	85,278.54
Huntington Home operating funds	8,000.00
Sarah Nichols Pope Dixon Fund	40,000.00
Mosher Book & Tract Committee	100.00
Insurance proceeds and miscellaneous receipts	405.25
	$135,999.55
Bank interest	1,028.37
Additional contribution	25.00
	$137,052.92

Expenses:

William A. McClennan fund raiser	$ 5,957.67
Printing and mail expenses	356.85
George M. Loring photographs	45.50
Other fund raising expenses	1,040.80
Patterson, Wylde & Windeler, Inc. Treasurer's bond	162.50
Huntington Dixon Home - repayment of loan	1,500.00
Hollett Building Corp. - contractor for Home	92,050.05
Ames & Graves - architects	9,642.25
The MacDonald Company - kitchen equipment	3,483.00
B & E Paint & Wallpaper Co.	152.94
Thomas Halpin, installation of new power line	450.00
Lewis W. Perkins & Son - surveying	145.50
Scituate Window Cleaning	154.75
Mosler Safe Co. - removal of old safe	97.50
Gorham Fire Appliance Co.	226.00
Leo H. Daulphinas - plumbing	75.45
Edward L. Brown - weatherstripping	70.86
W. C. Vaughan - hardware	34.15
A.F.S.C. (forwarded part of joint contribution)	15.00
Memorial plaques	67.43
Books	100.00
Curtains and furnishings	100.00
Lousdale Window Shade Co.	12.75
Tomma A. Zora & Son - rug	150.00
B. R. Oster Corp. - storm windows	250.00
Towle Electrical Co.	31.37
Repairs to furniture	100.00
Bailey & Co. - heating contractors	1,981.00
Frank S. Barbuto - sewer construction	5,143.45
Commonwealth of Mass. License fee	25.00
Johnson, Clapp, Ives & King - legal expenses	657.30
Bank Service Charges	11.79
	$124,290.86

Total receipts	$137,052.92	
Total expenses	124,290.86	
	$ 12,762.06	
Balance on deposit in First National Bank of Boston		$ 12,762.06

NEW ENGLAND FRIENDS HOME FUND

Final Report

Meeting	No. of Donors	Aggregate Gifts Received
Allen's Neck	1	$ 34.00
Amesbury	10	586.00
Bolton	5	675.00
Burlington	5	210.00
Cambridge	94	30,609.21
China	8	257.00
Dartmouth	6	92.00
Dover	18	996.00
Durham	21	1,852.00
Forest Ave.	8	271.00
Guilford	1	5.00
Hanover	8	340.00
Hartford	64	5,076.30
Lawrence	19	1,332.00

Lynn	21	1,657.00
Middle Conn.	15	368.00
Middletown	2	30.00
Monadnock	1	8.00
New Bedford	4	6,035.00
New Haven	12	460.00
North Dartmouth	7	319.00
Obadiah Brown's Benevolent Fund	1	3,000.00
North Fairfield	1	100.00
North Sandwich	2	2,100.00
Oak St. Mtg.	29	1,728.00
Providence	44	7,492.97
Sandwich	8	2,588.80
Smithfield	11	306.00
Swansea	6	185.00
Vassalboro	4	115.00
Weare	2	30.00
Wellesley	28	4,732.20
Westerly	22	7,046.00
Westport	1	200.00
Windham	1	16.00
Winthrop	7	145.00
Worcester	22	4,261.06
Worcester, Pleasant Street	1	20.00
Totals	520	$85,278.54

32. Ruth Hoge and Harold Myers spoke to the report on Meetings and Extension. They request more visiting among Friends, not only those we know well but among all Friends in our areas.

A suggestion was made that Friends may need to make plans to consider some form of publicity, especially in areas where there may be transient or seasonal population.

MEETINGS AND EXTENSION COMMITTEE

Wider intervisitation within the Yearly Meeting, especially to the small or isolated Meetings, is still a major concern of our committee. We encourage visits by members of the Committee, by Friends of our own or other Yearly Meetings, singly or in small groups, for worship and fellowship with sometimes discussions on prearranged topics. During the past year the Committee met at Winthrop Friends Meetinghouse, Maine; at Dover Friends Meetinghouse, New Hampshire; and at Beacon Hill Friends House, Boston.

A full schedule was arranged for Eugene Coffin of Richmond, Indiana. Again this April with several other committees and the American Friends Service Committee we co-sponsored a Woolman Hill conference on the Spiritual Bases of Friends Concerns. Fifty Friends representing about twenty meetings attended a part or all. Wilmer and Mildred Binns Young of Pendle Hill were guest leaders and the deeply searching tone of the conference was set by Mildred Young's opening talk which challenged our privileged and often self-indulgent way of life which leaves us "ill at ease with our situation." Other leaders included George Selleck, Robert Burgess, Joel Hayden, and John Sullivan. Perhaps the greatest value of these Woolman Hill conferences is in the warm fellowship and sharing of our deeper feelings and experiences.

We are aware, and grateful, that the work of this Committee is greatly expanded by the visits, spontaneous or planned, of individuals and Yearly Meeting committees. It would be helpful if there were feed back from such visiting to help us in planning our program. A visitors card for such reporting is available from the Committee secretary. We would also welcome requests from Meetings or isolated Friends who would like to have us meet with them.

33. Elizabeth F. Ballard presented the report on Ministry and Counsel.

REPORT OF THE NEW ENGLAND YEARLY MEETING ON MINISTRY AND COUNSEL

This year the Ministry and Counsel co-sponsored a Woolman Hill weekend retreat in April on "Spiritual Bases of Friends Concerns." In planning this, we met jointly with the Meetings and Extension Committee and agreed to ask the American Friends Service Committee, Woolman Hill, Beacon Hill Friends House, and the Yearly Meeting committees on Peace and Social Concerns to come in with us on it.

On the weekend, April 23-25, the happy combination of a fine group of leaders, including Wilmer and Mildred Young, and a good attendance of Friends, and Woolman Hill at its most beautiful, gave us a memorable retreat.

The Interim Committee on Ministry and Counsel met at Woolman Hill the morning of April 25 to conclude the other business we had explored on Committee Day - our responsibilities at Yearly Meeting in Providence. These were the Ministry and Counsel afternoon, the first evening speaker, and the plans for Sunday morning meeting for worship.

Elmer Brown spoke in Providence, Tuesday, June 22, on "Living Letters, the Place of the Bible in Quakerism Today."

DAVID DOUGLAS, Clerk
ELIZABETH BALLARD, Recording Clerk

34. The necessity for saving time has meant that the Reports of Spiritual Condition are circulated in printed form but are not read aloud to our sessions. This method is not entirely satisfactory and Amelia Emerson was asked to study these reports and bring forward especially important items.

From the body of the Meeting came several additions to the Reports. David Wetherell has been recorded as a Minister by Falmouth Quarterly Meeting. Acton Meeting is approaching Monthly Meeting status after being a preparative meeting of Cambridge. Framingham Meeting House is nearing completion. Wellesley Meeting is in process of acquiring a Meeting House within a block of their rented quarters. A new Meeting in Plainfield, Vermont is part of the Northwest Quarter, and within this year Mt. Toby Meeting House was completed in western Massachusetts. Statistical Report on pages 52 & 53.

CONNECTICUT VALLEY QUARTERLY MEETING

A summary from the reports of Guilford, Hartford, Middletown, and Monadnock Monthly Meetings: A dominant note was the deeply felt meaning of the Meeting for Worship. "It is good to have our Meeting House as a center and home." "...it is there, in the fellowship of worship, that we open our hearts to God..." "...a focus of quiet, and of seeking, and of communication." "Our search within ourselves is sincere, deep, and united in its goal."

Activities are clearly one way of manifesting the working of the Spirit. Social concerns were most strongly expressed in peace witnesses and various ways of supporting the principle of racial equality. Guilford and Hartford have found their women's sewing groups spiritually rewarding as well as useful in outreach to the needy in many parts of the world. Monadnock stresses a deep concern "That our personal and professional lives be a reflection of our spiritual lives."

Concern for the Quaker upbringing of our children was expressed in various ways. "One of our principal reasons for establishing a Monthly Meeting...was to provide a religious community for our children..," "...gatherings in larger groups are perhaps the best means for holding our boys and girls in our own orbit."

Some developments: in Hartford, a ten-room expansion of the Meeting House; in Guilford, the bi-weekly meeting of the women to mend, knit and sew for the American Friends Service Committee; in Middletown, the presence of a "second wave" of younger children, necessitating a Junior grade First Day School; in Monadnock, regular discussion sessions on the spiritual condition of the Meeting using the Queries as a starting point.

DOVER QUARTERLY MEETING

Weare Monthly Meeting:

Regular meetings have been held less often than usual. The Monthly Meeting conducts services in the Unity Meeting House on the first Sunday in August. Quarterly Meeting is held in the Henniker Meeting House as is the August Monthly Meeting.

Concord Meeting is held regularly at 10:00 on Sundays, with several members taking part in the unprogrammed meeting. Discussions are often held after meeting, and sometimes refreshments are enjoyed together. Special care is given to the teaching of children. Many Friends travel from some distance to share in the fellowship of this meeting. Although there is a great deal of turnover, the attendance remains constant at about twenty. We feel very happy about the spiritual health of the meeting, but we are searching for ways to reach more people who might be interested in such a meeting.

Dover Monthly Meeting:

Gonic Meeting has been meeting since 1743. The faith that made those first few meet continues in our meeting. Our meetings are usually programmed but the few unprogrammed meetings bring out responsibility and concerns on each of us. Business meetings are held regularly and the needs of the meeting taken up. To make the Meeting a better way of worship for all, especially young people, is always unfinished business. Missionary meetings are held each month. Study has made us aware of the needs of friends around the world. Fellowship in the Meeting, and for friends of the Meeting, has been found in social times based on travel pictures, music, and poetry.

Dover Meeting is held in the old Meeting House, and a vital core of active members attend. Friends are individually active in many phases of Friends' work, serving on Yearly Meeting committees, and carrying out the concerns of the Yearly and Quarterly Meetings.

FALMOUTH QUARTERLY MEETING

The six meetings comprising the Falmouth Quarter seem to show a similar state of condition as that of last year. Only three of the Monthly Meetings appear to be active in Yearly Meeting activities. Some Meetings, while offering a degree of worship facilities to their local communities, provide but little in the area of Quaker testimonies.

On the more positive side there has been some social concern felt. Certain Meetings have joined hands and jointly worked on American Friends Service Committee projects, providing clothing for Algerian children. The fact that this Quarter was united in expressing its concern over the widespread sale of war toys especially at Christmas time, shows that there is a latent spiritual concern present.

NORTHWEST QUARTERLY MEETING

Throughout the Northwest Quarter there is evidence of change and spiritual growth. Although **Burlington** Meeting feels greatly the absence of many members who are serving Friends' concerns in other areas, the depth and quality of each member's life is evident in many ways. Their Young Friends work camp included twenty university students. The members meeting in **Plainfield** are considering their readiness to become a Monthly Meeting. Their Bible study group, and their radio script project continue. All members are employed in work of social significance and concern, and several members are active in politics. They are concerned about the quality of their Meeting for Worship because it does not seem to be deeply inspired.

In **Bennington** almost every family has been tried by personal pain or loss. And because they have shared each other's personal burdens, there has been a deepening of their spiritual fellowship, and an increased desire for spreading open the spectrum of their understanding of one another. While absorbed in discovery of each other, they also are seeking ways to respond to the on-goingness of the personalities and good work of past members — Dorothy Canfield Fisher, Dorothy Allen, and Bradford Smith. The Worship Group in **Putney** is developing strongly. Their weekly discussions, held every Sunday before Meeting, are reaching each person deeply. This strength is evidenced by the fact that they are considering Preparative Meeting status under Bennington Meeting.

In **Hanover** the vocal ministry and the silence have a live quality that speaks of a feeling of expectancy. A monthly rotation of teachers in the First Day School allows many to share in this service. Members cooperate in several projects of local church groups as well as being active in Yearly Meeting, American Friends Service Committee, Friends General Conference, and Friends Committee on National Legislation. Meeting for business is a challenge requiring great effort toward love and unity—without consistent quality—but in a way which reaches toward the Spirit. In their meeting they find their strength. The Worship Group at **Colby Junior College** is showing greater strength and now have meetings every week.

May the Spirit continue to lead us to greater fellowship and concern.

RHODE ISLAND QUARTERLY MEETING

During the year we have welcomed visitors who were seeking a religious fellowship which could speak to their need. We have felt a deep concern to grow in grace ourselves, so that we might speak to their condition, as opportunity opens. We find it a continuing problem to make the occasions when casual acquaintance can change into meaningful communication on eternal matters.

As the love and intimacy between the members deepens, the hour of worship becomes more meaningful, and the faith that sustains us can be shared by those attenders who are attuned to our spiritual climate. Vocal ministry marked by a faith in divine guidance and a concern that we may go forth with renewed courage and wisdom to serve our fellowmen is noted. Although widely scattered in our week-day lives and pursuits, warm fellowship after each meeting reflects an affectionate drawing together of members, bound one to the other by a common spiritual experience.

Westerly welcomes attendance by summer visitors and Friends from other meetings. North Dartmouth reports a small but growing group of members and attenders, and Providence notes the continuing attendance of boys from Moses Brown School and girls from Lincoln School.

SALEM QUARTERLY MEETING

The members of Amesbury Monthly Meeting, while few in number, recall the Lord's parable of the mustard seed, and are conscious of unity and spiritual growth in meeting for worship and business. Members strive to meet the present challenges while remembering the lessons of the past. The Meeting is mindful of its responsibility to the wider Quaker outreach, including Friend's missionary and service work here and abroad. Members face the future of opportunity with faith in God and trust in the Indwelling Christ.

Cambridge Meeting continues to grow in all respects. Spiritual growth is evidenced by worshipfully offered messages which are often of a depth that befits communion with God. Its physical growth and wide geographical distribution offers Cambridge Meeting a unique challenge. The watchful care by the Meeting of the Cambridge Friends School, the several Preparative Meetings, as well as the parent Meeting at Longfellow Park affords Cambridge Meeting with an opportunity of committed service. While members of Cambridge Meeting feel a need to prayerfully consider the most appropriate use of committed Friends and Meeting resources, the Preparative Meetings prayerfully grow.

Friends at Acton have a feeling of communion and fellowship on a deeper level as a result of discussion groups following Meetings for Worship. In Framingham, where Meetings are held in Friends' homes, there is a feeling of continuity of harmony and worship which sustains Friends in their walk of life. While there are few to meet at Pembroke, Friends wish to continue as a worship group, alternately attending Meeting at Hingham. Friends at Hingham have found that through shared worship they gain strength and guidance to keep in perspective the concerns and problems of the world, which threaten to dominate their thinking. Friends at Beacon Hill feel that a small worship group should prove to be a stimulating experience, and challenged by what a Meeting for Worship can be in bringing people into deep communion with God and man, are urged on in their efforts to deal with their many difficulties toward achievement of a spiritually richer life.

Friends in Lawrence are seeking the way of a non-pastoral Meeting after having been accustomed to a pastoral Meeting. Friends hope to meet this challenge with a deepening of their spiritual experience and growth.

Friends at Lynn often feel the nearness of the Spirit during Meetings for Worship inspired by the soul searching messages. Members feel that Quakerism depends upon living the Christian life, and that individuals must seek for a living experience with God, endeavoring to live the faith in a practical manner.

Friends at Wellesley Meeting feel that meeting together for worship is just one form, but an integral part, of their total religious expression and experience. Meetings for Worship give frequent evidence of openness to the Spirit of God in their midst, both in the deep stillness, and in the shared messages that arise out of the earnest seeking of members. If, as a Meeting, they wish to grow in spiritual strength, they feel there needs to be a constant, prayerful attempt to put their faith into practice. They feel that they need to ask themselves: What is the role of a Friends Meeting in the world today? What steps should be taken to assume this role most effectively? A quote from Wellesley's report states that, "The Spirit is at work in our Meeting. We must believe in it, want it, ask for it, accept it, and act on it."

These are some of the challenges which member Meetings, and individual Friends of Salem Quarterly Meeting meet and accept. May it be our prayer that we will be given divine guidance to answer the greatest challenge of all, "Follow me."

SANDWICH QUARTERLY MEETING

Spiritual growth within Sandwich Quarterly Meeting is consistent though not outstanding. All are holding services of Worship either regularly or occasionally. Most Meetings have ministers but follow a simple form of Worship where time is given for meditation and soul searching with opportunity for Friends to speak to their concerns.

Most of the Meetings are made up of older members whose deep and abiding faith and works keep the Meetings alive. Some are fortunate in having a Young People's group and an active Sunday School. Changes have taken place in the leadership of three Meetings while others have maintained their same status. All are earnestly working to do God's Will in their communities and to stand for what is right in a world where day by day it becomes increasingly difficult to take a "stand" and "follow through." With God's help may we carry on.

SMITHFIELD QUARTERLY MEETING

Small attendance, in relation to reported membership, at meetings for worship, continues to be a problem. Many are active in "outside activities" of the Church (that is, outside of the Meeting), but may also be conspicuously absent from weekly religious services. To the visitor seeing the small attendance, the spiritual condition might seem quite low, but in fact it may be higher than it would appear on the basis of numbers alone.

In Worcester strength and growth are evident through an increase in activities and discussion groups; an adult group has been studying the revised Faith and Practice to develop deeper insight into the meaning of membership. Out of this has developed a Sunday evening Bible Discussion group. Young Friends have been more active in committees and monthly meetings and attendance at seminars. Many of the meeting members have worked together on the renovation of the Center, contributing generously of time and effort in a common project. Through a mutual concern, joint projects have been presented with the Pleasant Street Meeting; such as the regional American Friends Service Committee meeting.

Both Meetings suffer from too little participation by members in unprogrammed worship. There is also a limited participation of the Meetings in "Outreach" except through individuals interested in areas of Friends testimony, such as social action, race relations, Missions and overseas work and with the Five Years Meeting. There is a crying need for more commitment and involvement in the life of the Meeting, and in the Outreach which testifies to and demonstrates our fundamental beliefs.

VASSALBORO QUARTERLY MEETING

This summary is based on reports from four of the six monthly meetings which constitute Vassalboro Quarterly Meeting. Much of our effort may be honestly characterized as consumed in maintaining familiar institutions, yet there are certain developments within the Quarterly Meeting which give promise of spiritual renewal.

Vassalboro Monthly Meeting had an opportunity to try a semi-programmed type of worship. Friends from outside the Meeting have been helpful in this venture, but the leadership and cooperation of the local members in both the programmed and unprogrammed parts of the Meeting have been the key to the success of the experiment.

Winthrop Meeting notes the attendance of eight young Friends at Yearly Meeting in 1964. The young people have been active also in a youth choir, and in helping with a summer vacation Bible school, and were hosts to a Young Friends caravan. Winthrop and North Fairfield Meetings both make use of pastors on a part-time basis, and both feel that they are fortunate in the quality of leadership provided. North Fairfield notes also the helpful vocal participation in meetings for worship of members and visitors, in addition to the regular messages by the pastor.

During 1964 the Quarterly Meeting made a venture of faith in organizing a new monthly meeting at Camden, Maine, knowing that the number of prospective members was smaller than usual for such a step. The wisdom of a longer period of nurture and testing before setting up a new meeting became evident when half of the persons who had made the decision in 1963 to ask for the formation of a monthly meeting subsequently failed to bring their membership to it or to continue to attend meetings. Camden Friends believe, however, that the meetings for worship have ministered to the needs of certain summer residents of the area, and, with the prospect of some new members, hope yet to become an established meeting.

The work of Harry and Anne Smith in the vacation Bible school program was much appreciated in this Quarterly Meeting; North Fairfield in particular urges the Yearly Meeting to continue this activity as a valuable means of outreach to the local communities.

35. Jane Cook and Sylvia Perry presented the report of the Christian Education Committee. The lending library which has been housed in the Hingham Home is a valuable collection of Quaker Books and could become a travelling library serving other areas.

REPORT OF THE CHRISTIAN EDUCATION COMMITTEE

The Junior and Junior High Yearly Meetings under the direction of Lelia Taylor were successful. Helen Wyman is the new Junior-Junior High Yearly Meeting director. This year's worship-workshop group was small, but there was a sharing of ideas from programmed and unprogrammed Meetings which was rewarding. Louisa White presented a very interesting history of Friends Sunday Schools. Meta Ruth Ferguson from the Five Years Meeting was with us and gave us helpful suggestions. David Wetherell will lead the 1965 workshop.

Harrison and Anne Smith conducted Vacation Church Schools at Fairfield, Winthrop, Durham, Windham, and Parsonsfield in Maine. Enthusiastic reports of appreciation have come from these Meetings. Margaret Wentworth will be directing a similar program in the summer of 1965. Plans for a new type of summer program which would appeal to more Meetings are under consideration.

The Christian Education Library at Hingham has received more books. A new listing will be made of these books. We hope Friends will make use of them.

Members have worked with Young Friends as in the past, and others have been named to plan for the future with Ed Hinshaw.

36. For a few years the Peace Committee and the Social Concerns Committee have been meeting separately. A recommendation from the Executive Council asks that these Committees be united. This is approved by the Yearly Meeting.

37. The names brought forward by the Nominating Committee for the new Peace and Social Concerns Committee are approved.

38. Ernest Weed spoke about the activities of the Five Years Meeting, the name of which has been changed to Friends United Meeting. He called attention to the next session in July 1966 and urged Friends to make plans for Friends United Meeting and the carrying forward if its activities.

We hear with pleasure that we have been successful in raising $2,000.00 for Happy Grove School's Classroom Building.

FIVE YEARS MEETING COMMITTEE

To assist the committee in its work here in New England, David Stanfield, Secretary of the Board on Stewardship and Finance, presented to the committee the new Partner Projects. This is a program created for local Meetings to help them enlarge their participation in the work of the Five Years Meeting by assuming a "special project," many of which are outlined in a Partner Projects Directory. To help get this program going in New England, the Five Years Meeting committee undertook the task of informing New England Friends of the need in Jamaica at Happy Grove School - one of the Partner Projects. All New England Friends were mailed a letter explaining the need for a new classroom building. This is a real challenge to us inasmuch at the Jamaican government has offered $40,000 toward this end if American Friends will provide $20,000.

39. It seems the appropriate time to change the name of

our Five Years Meeting Committee to the Friends United Meeting Committee. This is approved.

40. A Memorial was read for Oliver M. Frazer.

MEMORIAL TO OLIVER MORTON FRAZER

On December 30, 1964 in Worcester, Massachusetts, Oliver Morton Frazer died at the age of 97 years. Born in Pleasant Plain, Iowa, he served for more than fifty years as pastor of various Friends Meetings in Iowa, Nebraska, Indiana, New York, New Hampshire, and Massachusetts, including sixteen years with the Worcester Monthly Meeting of Friends. For many years he was a member and regular attender of the Permanent Board of New England Yearly Meeting, as well as of New York Yearly Meeting. In 1952 he became one of the founding members of the Pleasant Street Friends Meeting in Worcester. From then on he and his wife, Catherine, resided at the Meeting House. Oliver Frazer left his wife, a sister, Hannah, and six children.

One of Oliver Frazer's favorite biblical quotations, oft repeated, suggests his spiritual strength: "Fear thou not for I am with thee, be not dismayed for I am thy God. I will strengthen thee. Yea, I will help thee. Yea, I will uphold thee with the right hand of my righteousness." Isaiah 41:10.

Oliver Frazer was, from the founding of the Pleasant Street Friends Meeting, the symbol of its principles and ideals. He believed wholeheartedly in the goodness of God and man. Peace was the theme of his life. He was part and parcel of expanding social and religious thought, prince and prophet of the new day. With his unfailingly kind and cheerful spirit, he was friend, counselor, and inspiration to innumerable people. We are united in sadness at his loss.

41. The plans for the sessions of New England Yearly Meeting for 1966 to meet June 21 to 26 in Amherst, Massachusetts are approved.

The Representatives brought forward their nominations for the coming year:

Presiding Clerk: Thomas R. Bodine
Recording Clerk: Miriam E. Jones
Reading Clerk: Henry B. Williams
Reading Clerk: Hazel C. Foster

They are approved.

42. George A. Selleck reviewed some of the additions to the revision of our Discipline. Appreciation is expressed for the work of this committee.

This Meeting approves the 1965 Draft Revision of Faith and Practice of New England Yearly Meeting with permission to the Committee to edit as it seems necessary.

43. It is approved that a copy of the Revised Faith and Practice accepted in Minute #42 be sent to each Monthly Meeting as an official supplement to these Minutes.

44. Greetings were read from Africa. Corwin and Helen Perisho are with us in spirit. Philip and Virginia Towle send us a thoughtful description of some of the problems facing African Friends. Thomas G. Lung'aho sends a greeting from East Africa Yearly Meeting and words of appreciation for the work of Jeannette Smith who is with us in these sessions. The Clerk is asked to convey our greeting to East Africa Yearly Meeting.

45. The Nominating Committee presented names for the Friends United Meeting Executive Council and Boards and Representatives to attend in 1966, and named the Yearly Meeting Representative on the 1967 Friends World Conference Committee. They are approved.

46. The Correspondence Committee has chosen epistles from South Central Yearly Meeting, Philadelphia Yearly Meeting, Western Yearly Meeting, Nebraska Yearly Meeting, and Lake Erie Association Yearly Meeting to be read at this time.

47. The following minute was approved to be forwarded to the Mission Board of the Five Years Meeting:

New England Yearly Meeting of Friends, in business session in Providence, Rhode Island, June 25, 1965, is again reminded of the strong ties of affection and of responsibility which have bound us for nearly one hundred years to the friends of Ram Allah and to the schools which they, with limited American help, have loyally supported. We are aware of the legal obstacles to continuing our work in precisely the ways in which it has been done in the past, but we have faith to believe that, with the patient cooperation of Jordanian Friends, new ways may be found appropriate to new times.

We are united in urging that no effort be spared in seeking the best thought of our friends in Ram Allah, and in the Yearly Meeting, and of informed persons in this country that we may responsibly carry forward the work in which for three generations many deeply committed lives and many hundred thousand dollars have been invested.

48. Willard Ware spoke to the report of Moses Brown School and Lincoln School. Gordon Davis, the newly appointed Headmaster, was not present but will be at the Moses Brown School within a few weeks.

William Paxton who has been interim Headmaster, spoke of the good reports of the past year and anticipates a fine staff and good enrollment for the coming year.

Thomas Perry, Jr. is newly appointed Chairman of the

Board of Trustees at Lincoln School. He gave a careful review of the way in which the Board of Trustees and the School Committee have operated in the past. As he looks forward to plans for the future, long felt needs are before us and the ways to solve the problems these needs create are not decided. New buildings may be required to provide dining areas and auditorium space and an enlarged boarding department.

Mary Schaffner, Headmistress of Lincoln School, spoke about the values presented to the girls and some of the practical experiences that are available to them. There are unusual opportunities for a good education for girls at Lincoln School.

Willard Ware announced that Moses Bailey will be retiring from the School Committee. His fine service brings to a conclusion a record of membership on the School Committee by members of the Bailey family for one hundred years!

REPORT OF MOSES BROWN SCHOOL AND LINCOLN SCHOOL COMMITTEE

With the dedication of the Waughtel-Howe field house on May 22, 1965, the first major phase of the Moses Brown building program was completed. This building, named in honor of two outstanding track coaches who served Moses Brown for many years, is a wonderful addition to the school. But we can feel even more satisfaction in the contribution that Samuel Waughtel and Warren Howe have made to the development and the lives of many hundreds of boys over the years.

The year 1964-1965 has been a most satisfactory one in both schools. Each school has its problems, but under competent and understanding leadership, both schools have come through with excellent records of accomplishment. Mary Schaffner and William Paxton have both merited our highest praise and confidence. We regret that Robert Whitaker's term as President of the Lincoln School Board of Trustees is completed, but at the same time we look forward to working with Thomas Perry, Jr. as the new President. Edwin Krause remains as the President of the Moses Brown Board of Trustees for the next year.

In the report last year, the Clerk gave some estimates of the operating deficit expected for this school year for Moses Brown. Fortunately, his estimates proved to be in error. With careful planning and budgeting, tight controls, and skillful administration, Moses Brown finishes the year slightly in the black. This was no mean achievement and most of the credit must go to the Trustees, to William Paxton, Headmaster, and to John Stinchfield, Business Manager.

Gordon Davis, the new Headmaster for Moses Brown, will be in Providence during the summer and ready for the new school year in September. We look forward to days of growth for both schools: growth in meaning and value to the communities they serve; growth in a greater realization of the central goals of Friends' education; growth in cooperative efforts to develop the finest in character and leadership in the outstanding young men and women who attend our schools.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR LINCOLN SCHOOL

July 1, 1963 - June 30, 1964

INCOME

Tuition - Upper School		$220,817.50
Tuition - Lower School		90,932.50
Dormitory		18,780.50
Board - Resident Students		26,206.70
Lunches & Recess Lunches - Day Students		22,885.88
Income from Investments		9,589.58
Interest on Special Savings Account		1,758.44
Interest on Other Savings Accounts		1,098.44
Scholarship Funds		8,912.96
Rent		390.00
Incidental Income from Students:		
Fees	$26,282.00	
Application Fees	1,410.00	
Books, Supplies, Typing and Reading	16,105.77	
Graduation Fees	1,275.00	45,072.77
From Annual Giving for Salaries		10,000.00
From Annual Giving for Capital Funds		10,000.00
From Pension Fund		3,113.77
Miscellaneous		275.00
		$469,834.04

STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENSE - CURRENT FUND

Expenses:

Administration:		
Salaries	$ 37,618.14	
Advertising and Public Relations	9,074.50	
Telephone and Telegraph	2,138.33	
Postage and Express	1,320.88	
Office Supplies	1,611.95	
Insurance	1,788.91	
Travel Expense	491.38	
Auditing	35.00	
Charities	163.75	
Memberships	917.50	
Pensions	3,950.00	
Social Security Tax (Note)	13,200.07	
Repairs and New Equipment	377.92	
Dispensary	2,308.82	
TIAA - School Share	7,933.00	
Independent Schools Association	195.00	
Blue Cross and Major Medical	1,497.03	$ 84,622.18
Upper School:		
Salaries	142,093.44	
Library	629.88	
Gym and Physical Education	592.77	
Music	305.50	
Audio Visual	418.63	
Wages	14,521.82	
General Supplies	1,290.00	
Repairs	1,977.20	
New Equipment	673.72	
Pensions	2,825.00	
Miscellaneous Instructional Material	561.11	165,889.07
Lower School:		
Salaries	70,007.16	

Library	413.18	
Gym	46.18	
Music, etc.	178.99	
Movies	33.89	
Wages	4,659.31	
General Supplies	1,009.90	
Repairs	256.38	
New Equipment	180.01	
Pensions	1,300.00	
Miscellaneous Instructional Material	73.12	78,158.12
Dormitories:		
House Mother's Salary	$ 8,000.04	
Wages	5,113.97	
Infirmary	47.22	
General Supplies	547.30	
Repairs	1,638.46	
New Equipment	301.72	
Student Entertainment	701.62	
Trash Removal	182.50	$16,532.83
Dining Room:		
Food	22,744.41	
Wages	22,156.98	
Gas	1,998.45	
General Supplies	635.16	
Repairs	638.70	
New Equipment	21.60	
Pensions	300.00	48,495.30
Grounds:		
Wages	2,812.25	
Supplies	270.67	
Repairs	283.71	
New Equipment	385.08	3,751.71
Heat and Light:		
Wages	1,757.21	
Oil	5,907.77	
Light	5,150.07	
Supplies	158.72	
Repairs	1,417.76	14,391.53
Incidental Charges:		
Books and Supplies	14,167.45	
Studio	686.54	
Laboratory	593.79	
Glee Club	571.43	
Graduation	381.25	
Chaperons	114.59	16,515.05
Development Office:		
Salaries	4,600.08	
Miscellaneous	1,693.89	6,293.97
Provision for Bad Debts		2,455.43
Total Expenses		$437,105.19
Net Income for Year		$ 32,728.85

Note: A change in the method of accruing social security taxes has resulted in five quarters' expense being recorded in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1964, or approximately $2,400.00 more than normal.

BALANCE SHEET

Assets

CURRENT FUND:			
Cash:			
Checking Account	$ 7,814.52		
Savings Account - Special	20,059.21		
Savings Accounts - Other	22,623.34		
Petty Cash	462.94	$ 50,960.01	
Accounts Receivable	5,576.51		
Less: Allowance for Bad Debts	5,000.00	576.51	
Inventories (Estimated)		1,856.74	
Prepaid Insurance		5,875.44	
Pension Fund		46,980.28	
Unremitted Income - Pension Fund		2,350.99	
Total Current Fund			$108,599.97
PLANT FUND:			
Gymnasium		106,223.01	
Hockey Field		54,502.30	
Mary Nichols Play House		34,245.61	
Main Building		285,589.02	
Dwight School		34,738.99	
New Lower School		229,900.85	
New Lower School Furniture		8,266.15	
Science Wing		18,537.05	
New Library		11,270.12	
Furniture and Equipment		38,523.46	
Arnold House		14,504.00	
Cameron House		16,266.80	
Pomroy House		17,051.00	
Blackinton House		19,900.91	
Total Plant Fund			889,519.27
Total All Funds			$998,119.24

Liabilities

CURRENT FUND:		
Accounts Payable	$ 3,259.53	
Accrued Payroll Taxes	2,471.00	
Employees' Payroll Deductions	11,042.11	
Prepaid Registration Fees	18,935.00	
Reserve for Building Renovations	13,652.62	
Reserve for Arnold House	1,003.45	
Designated Purpose Funds - Restricted	753.19	$ 51,116.90
Surplus		57,483.07
Total Current Fund		$108,599.97
PLANT FUND:		
Fund Principal	889,519.27	
Total Plant Fund		889,519.27
Total All Funds		$998,119.24

We have examined the Balance Sheet of Lincoln School at June 30, 1964, and the related Statement of Income and Expense for the fiscal year then ended.

Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, and accordingly included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

In our opinion, the accompanying Balance Sheet and Statement of Income and Expense, subject to the comments included herein, present fairly the financial condition of Lincoln School at June 30, 1964, and the results of its operations for the fiscal year then ended, in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles.

CHRISTIANSEN AND COMPANY, Certified
Public Accountants, January 15, 1965

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR MOSES BROWN SCHOOL

STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENSE

July 1, 1963 - June 30, 1964

Income:		
Students:		
Tuition - Resident Students	$163,483.58	
Tuition - Day Students	408,746.00	
Lunches - Regular	24,587.00	
Lunches - Midmorning	2,666.00	
Laundry	4,009.31	
Books and Stationery	25,955.56	
Athletic Goods	9,201.15	
Registration Fees Retained	650.00	
Application Fees	2,150.00	$641,448.60
Board of Managers of Investments and Permanent Funds:		
Scholarships	15,511.10	
Centennial Endowment	1,694.51	
General	2,440.98	
H. K. Smiley Fund	131.87	19,778.46
Other:		
Annual Giving	8,163.72	
Obadiah Brown Benevolent Fund	3,360.00	
Independent Schools Fund	770.92	
Rentals	3,626.50	
Interest - Savings Account	39.83	
Miscellaneous	706.77	16,667.74
Total Income		$677,894.80
Expenses:		
Administration	66,764.28	
Instruction	373,896.38	
Development	26,662.86	
Kitchen and Dining Room	91,972.01	
Housekeeping	34,266.30	
Maintenance of Plant	33,335.51	
Operation of Plant	56,860.87	
Grounds	18,242.69	
Other	29,762.74	
Total Expenses		731,763.64
Net Loss		$ 53,868.84

MOSES BROWN SCHOOL
BALANCE SHEET
June 30, 1964

Assets

CURRENT FUND:		
Cash:		
Checking Account	$46,172.11	
Savings Accounts	10,316.30	
On Hand	934.15	
Petty Cash	405.95	$ 57,828.51
Accounts Receivable	32,242.17	
Less: Allowance for Bad Debts	8,485.88	23,756.29
Inventories		12,745.02
Prepaid Insurance		2,500.00
Deferred Sprinkler System Expense		11,891.40
Total Current Fund		$108,721.22
PLANT FUND:		
Buildings and Grounds	1,566,362.38	
Furniture and Equipment	118,768.88	
Total Plant Fund		1,685,131.26
Total All Funds		$1,793,852.48

Liabilities

CURRENT FUND:		
Accounts Payable	$ 10,349.42	
Notes Payable - Bank	79,000.00	
Loans Payable	100,000.00	
Accrued Payroll Taxes	1,433.31	
Employees' Payroll Deductions	9,683.15	
Deferred Rental Income	900.00	
Prepaid Registration Fees	46,700.00	
Designated Purpose Funds	10,939.97	
Reserve for Contingencies	16,371.55	$275,377.40
Deficit		166,656.18
Total Current Fund		108,721.22
PLANT FUND:		
Fund Principal	1,685,131.26	
Total Plant Fund		1,685,131.26
Total All Funds		$1,793,852.48

"We have examined the Balance Sheet of Moses Brown School at June 30, 1964, and the related Statements of Income and Expense and Deficit for the fiscal year then ended."

"In our opinion, the accompanying Balance Sheet and Statements of income and Expense and Deficit present fairly the financial condition of Moses Brown School at June 30, 1964, and the results of its operations for the fiscal year then ended in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles."

Respectfully submitted,
CHRISTIANSEN AND COMPANY

49. The Oak Grove report was given in a novel fashion. A tape prepared at a broadcasting station describes a new Youth Center which is a project under way at Vassalboro.

50. Russell D. Brooks brought the report of Woolman Hill. During this year the Barn has been made into a habitable

building for human beings, by many hours of volunteered labor. The use of Woolman Hill as a training center for persons preparing for overseas service has been undertaken and will be continued. Other groups find the use of Woolman Hill helpful.

Friends are urged to take advantage of this center as a meeting place for groups with a special concern to consider in a conference setting. Also Friends need to bear in mind the need for able and concerned Friends to serve on the Board that manages Woolman Hill.

51. Charles Harker, representing the Friends Committee on National Legislation, spoke of the fact that in the hour that we have been meeting, President Johnson has been making a speech at the twentieth anniversary of the United Nations opening in San Francisco. Charles Harker urged us to respond to whatever has been said. This he sees as a sensitive moment to react. Perhaps this is an example of the kind of service the F.C.N.L. can give, to advise as to the time and place we can make an effective effort to be heard. We are glad to know that Friends from New England will be working with the Committee in Washington.

52. A memorial was read for Bradford Smith.

MEMORIAL TO BRADFORD SMITH

Bradford Smith, a resident of Shaftsbury, Vermont and a member of Bennington Monthly Meeting, died on July 14, 1964. With his passing we find ourselves separated from a Quaker of rare purity of spirit. Through the years his consciousness of the presence of God in every man increased. This conviction of the primacy of things of the spirit produced in him a full life, rich in loving kindness and good works. In religion, in education, in literature, in history, in social concern, and in political action, Bradford Smith is an inspiration to us all.

His books, articles and poems are a continuing memorial to him. His religious writings cut through theological speculation - which separates religions, sects, and individuals - to the central realities which they all share.

In the last year of his life, as he lived with the awareness that death was at hand, it became infinitely clear to him that —

"We are not alone."
"We are a part of all that we see and love and do."
"As individuals we acquire character and personality only as we interact with others."

With this awareness of the "relatedness of all life" came a quietness of mind and spirit from which all fear dropped away, and doubt dissolved so that he was able to say —

"It takes no courage for dying
But rather a quiet mind;
Fear is but evasion —
Turn around, and there's no threat behind."

"The small world of self is set in a vast ocean of life—first as a mere egg, then as a swimmer, then as a voyager, and finally as a part of the ocean again."

He has made us aware that death is a vital part of life.

53. Amelia L. Emerson has prepared a brief summary of the Reports of Spiritual Condition. Friends found this exercise a help in pointing up the deep underlying qualities that are present in all of the reports of Quarterly Meetings.

54. Greetings from Virginia Phillips who is in England were received. James Wild and Grace Frost who have been with us in previous years are not in attendance but send messages of love.

55. Finley H. Perry presented the Budget for the coming year. It is approved with the eight recommendations that follow.

REPORT OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

YEARLY MEETING BUDGET FOR 1965-1966

Support of Friends' Organizations and others:		
Friends United Meeting:		
Activities	$ 6,000.00	
Expenses	3,284.00	
Friends General Conference	600.00	
Friends World Committee & Fellowship Council	350.00	
Friends Committee on National Legislation	200.00	
Friends Council on Education	100.00	
Church Peace Mission	50.00	
		10,584.00
Yearly Meeting Committees:		
Peace and Social Concerns Committee	800.00	
Christian Education Committee	600.00	
Young Friends Committee	250.00	
Meetings and Extension Committee	600.00	
Executive Council	200.00	
Missionary Committee	50.00	
Archives and Historical Records Committee	150.00	
New England Friends Home Committee	200.00	
China Camp Committee	100.00	
Friends United Meeting Committee	100.00	
Friends General Conference Committee	50.00	
		3,100.00
Yearly Meeting expenses:		
Expenses of Yearly Meeting Sessions	700.00	
Young Friends Yearly Meeting	225.00	
Junior Yearly Meeting	250.00	
Yearly Meeting Clerk's expenses	75.00	
Yearly Meeting Treasurer's expenses	700.00	
Printing Yearly Meeting Minutes	850.00	
		2,800.00
Yearly Meeting Office and Employees:		
Field Secretary:		
Salary	4,800.00	
Retirement	480.00	
Expenses & travel (at 10c per mile)	2,400.00	
Office Secretary: Salary	1,600.00	
Office rent	300.00	

Equipment, Supplies and Miscellaneous expense	1,000.00	
Young Friends Secretary	4,000.00	
		14,580.00
Travel expenses:		
Reserve for expenses of delegates to Friends World Conference in 1967	450.00	
Travel for representatives of Yearly Meeting to American Friends Service Committee, Friends World Committee and Fellowship Council, Friends Committee on National Legislation, Friends United Meeting Boards, Friends General Conference Central Committee and Friends Council on Education	300.00	
		750.00
Total		$ 31,814.00

1. Contributions are made to the Yearly Meeting on a voluntary basis through the Monthly Meeting. Each Monthly Meeting is requested to include in its budget a sum of money representing its fair share of the Yearly Meeting budget to be paid to the Yearly Meeting Treasurer in installments throughout the year, the final installment to be paid on or before May 15, 1966. In order to help in determining each Meeting's fair share of the budget, is is to be noted that the total budget is about $10 per member including junior and non-resident members. Some Meetings are unable to contribute $10 per member, and perhaps some that are able to, do not in fact do so. This means that if we are to raise the budget some Meetings must contribute as much as $12 or more per member.

2. The China Camp Committee, the New England Friends Home Committee, and the Young Friends Committee each has its own treasurer and checking account. All bills of all other committees shall be sent to the Yearly Meeting Treasurer for payment after approval by the committee chairman has been endorsed thereon.

3. That the Treasurer be authorized to pay the expenses of the Yearly Meeting sessions and for the printing of the Yearly Meeting Minutes without further authorization provided that these bills do not exceed by more than ten per cent the amounts budgeted therefor. That the Treasurer be authorized to pay the expenses of entertaining visiting Friends at Yearly Meeting sessions with the approval of both the presiding clerk and the chairman of the Arrangements Committee, and that the Treasurer is authorized to pay all other expenses with the approval of the appropriate committee chairman up to and not exceeding the amount included in the budget for said committee. Any payments in excess of the amounts included in the budget (or in the case of the Yearly Meeting sessions and the printing of Yearly Meeting Minutes more than ten per cent in excess of the amount included in the budget) shall be made with the additional approval of the Chairman of the Finance Committee.

4. That the Friends United Meeting Committee, the Equalization Fund Committee, the China Camp Committee, be given permission to appeal directly to the members of the Yearly Meeting for funds, but that all other committees of the Yearly Meeting be requested not to do so without first obtaining permission from the Finance Committee.

5. That John S. Taylor be appointed Treasurer of the Yearly Meeting.

6. That the appointment by the Finance Committee of Clayton Drown and J. Franklin Pineo as auditors of the accounts of the

Yearly Meeting Treasurer for the past year be approved and that the Finance Committee be authorized to appoint either two persons who are present at the Yearly Meeting sessions in 1966 or a professional accountant to audit the accounts of the Yearly Meeting Treasurer for the year 1965-1966.

7. That Ira Wine be appointed to audit the accounts of the China Camp Committee, that Chester C. Smith be appointed to audit the accounts of the New England Friends Home Committee and that Helen L. Bliss be appointed to audit the accounts of the Young Friends Committee. It is requested that in each case the auditor's report be sent to the Chairman of the Finance Committee.

9. The Finance Committee has been informed that the Archives and Historical Records Committee anticipates larger expenses in future years when the archives are no longer housed in the John Carter Brown Library.

56. John S. Taylor is appointed Treasurer for one year or until his successor is appointed. It is approved.

57. The Finance Committee is authorized to appoint two suitable Friends to audit the accounts of our Treasurer during our next session or find a professional accountant to perform this service.

58. The Friends Council on Education sends a printed report but Miriam E. Jones took this opportunity to speak of the appointment of Alexander McNutt to assist heads of Friends' Schools in New York and New England in matters of conference planning, teacher training and Friends education.

59. Helen L. Bliss reported on the activities of the Meeting School. The year has been successful with eighteen students graduating this year. A recent conference of evaluation held at the end of eight years of operation gives the staff and students an opportunity to look forward with renewed confidence.

60. The Cambridge Friends School is now in its new home. The building located on Cadbury Road is well suited for their use. The neighborhood is industrial, and making friends within the area has been a challenge this school is meeting with imaginative programs of after-school activities and special classes to help the neighborhood get to know the school.

61. The Board of Managers of Investments and Permanent Funds presented their report and it is accepted.

INVESTMENTS AND PERMANENT FUNDS COMMITTEE

The Committee on Investments and Permanent Funds has met with its investment counsel at ten regular monthly meetings during the past year. The Committee has accepted as a separate trust the funds of the Lincoln School Foundation.

Because of the high market, profits have been taken in some common stocks and the proceeds are held in high yielding corporates, in treasuries, and in savings banks. On the funds affected by these transactions there will be some increase in income on original cost, and the relative percentages in common stock holdings have been reduced.

In January, through the Yearly Meeting office, your Committee sent a letter to each Monthly Meeting describing in some detail the activities of the Committee. A copy of this letter is included with this report.

Copy

January 1965

To the Monthly Meetings

Dear Friends:

The COMMITTEE ON INVESTMENTS AND PERMANENT FUNDS is appointed by the Yearly Meeting to provide for the investment and care of the funds of the Yearly Meeting, of the two Yearly Meeting Schools, and of any other Yearly Meeting Committees with endowment or other monies for investment. The services of this Committee are available also to Monthly and Local Meetings, and to any of their committees.

The Committee on Investments and Permanent Funds consists of ten members. It meets with its professional financial adviser each month (usually omitting August), with a record of excellent attendance. Purchases and sales of securities are authorized only when there is general approval, and care is exercised to invest in securities of those companies whose projects Friends generally would approve.

Our transactions are conducted through a local broker, and the securities held by the Industrial National Bank of Rhode Island as agent. When funds or securities are transferred to us, they are placed on our books at their market value the day the bank receives them, with power in the Committee, in its discretion, to sell, invest, and re-invest. On proper authorization any fund in the care of the Committee may be withdrawn at any time. Additions to the pooled funds already established can be accepted in any reasonable amount. In the case of new funds of less than $5000 in value to be invested separately or those for which care over a period of five years or less is desired, deposit in savings banks would be more appropriate. The income from investments will be paid to the person designated to receive it within thirty days after the end of each quarter.

After the close of the calendar year our accounts are audited professionally and the report of the auditors and our own financial statement are submitted to the Yearly Meeting and are available for examination by members of the Yearly Meeting.

This statement has been prepared to answer questions which any one may have about the activities of the Committee on Investments and Permanent Funds. If additional information is desired, please communicate with the Chairman or with any other member of the Committee.

L. Ralston Thomas, Chairman
Committee on Investments & Permanent Funds

62. The report of the Auditors for the Board of Managers of Investments and Permanent Funds was accepted, and is available for inspection at the Yearly Meeting Office.

63. Eunice Strobel spoke to the Equalization Fund Report and reminds us that the need for funds is greater than the amount received. Fortunately there was a balance to meet the need expressed. We must be sensitive to this continuing opportunity to help Friends who need assistance.

REPORT OF THE EQUALIZATION FUND COMMITTEE

1964

	Number	Amount of Aid
Adults	5	$ 100.75
Young Friends	31	548.50
Juniors	32	478.50
	68	$ 1,127.75

64. Florence Selleck spoke to the report of the Student Loan and Scholarship Committee. This enlarged title suggests the new scope of this Committee's work and they look forward with anticipation to their task in the field of giving as well as loaning money to deserving students.

STUDENT LOAN COMMITTEE

The Student Loan Fund, first established in 1898, is available to members of New England Yearly Meeting for education at the college level or for work in professional or summer schools. Only on rare occasions and with the approval of the committee have loans been granted to Quakers outside of New England Yearly Meeting.

At the present time there are seven outstanding loans, one of these being new since June 1964. During the past year three additional loans have been repaid in full. All interest has been paid to date and in the case of four of the present loans modest payments have been made on the principal. The financial condition of the fund is found in the report of the Treasurer of the Yearly Meeting.

65. A memorial was read for Amy S. Hayden.

MEMORIAL TO AMY SHERMAN HAYDEN

Providence Monthly Meeting of Friends records the death of Amy Sherman Hayden on Twelfth Month 17, 1964. Amy was born in Portsmouth, Rhode Island First Month 12, 1890, the daughter of George E. and Emma Sisson Sherman. She came to Providence to attend Moses Brown School, graduating in the class of 1909. After graduating from the Rhode Island Normal School she taught in Westport, Mass. and in Middletown, R.I. and for some years at the Gordon School in Providence.

After her marriage to George W. Hayden she became a permanent resident of Providence. She was a dedicated Friend and her contribution to New England Yearly Meeting through various committees has been invaluable. Her judgments were carefully arrived at and proved to be most helpful in whatever she undertook. She was greatly interested in the contacts she made with the candidates for the Freedmen's Funds of the Yearly Meeting. The Missionary Committee, the Missionary Society, and the Providence Meeting sewing group were an important part of her life. The list of her many interests is long. She has left with us a renewed sense of the need to work more diligently.

66. Beacon Hill Friends House Report was presented by Ernest H. Weed. He speaks of the work of leadership of this Friends center in Boston as varied and demanding but satisfying to him and his wife, Esther Weed, who must sometimes act as parents to students who are far from their own homes and meeting many new experiences.

67. Jane Burgess presented our Epistle. It is approved with an opportunity for some minor changes.

GENERAL EPISTLE OF NEW ENGLAND YEARLY MEETING

To Friends Everywhere:

This year Henry Cadbury has told us that religion has many facets. As we look around at our busy gathering, at the Friends rushing back and forth from committee meetings to business meetings, to meals and to worship, we are assured that this is true.

Even among Friends we are a peculiarly diverse gathering. Some of us come from large crowded meetings in great university centers; others from small meetings in quiet villages where many more Friends rest outside in the burying grounds than gather inside to worship. Some of us bear the traces of nine generations of New England Quaker ancestry in our names and faces, but, in this same Yearly Meeting, some three quarters of us have discovered the experience of Quaker worship for ourselves.

Twenty years ago, New England Friends united in a single Yearly Meeting. This unity has now found expression in a new book of discipline, springing from the experiences of all our meetings, silent, pastoral, programmed and unprogrammed.

Our leadings are varied. For each traditional Friends' testimony we can count among us at least one Friend who has made that testimony peculiarly his own. In our different worship workshops we all have found involvement, new questions raised, new paths to try. We are reawakened to the world of need that lies outside and around our life of plenty. Even as we try to respond to the predicament of voiceless, helpless peoples who can be crushed by the impact of our present civilization, our young people remind us with chafing impatience that the world we hope for was overdue yesterday.

In all this we know God, not so much in the words we write and speak, nor even in the concerns that move us, but more in our moments of quiet, more in a certain gentleness that seems to envelop all of us here. We sense a tolerance, a confidence, a warmth toward one another that melts away discord. Our spirits are refreshed and our lives renewed.

"Friends, meet together and know one another in that which is eternal, which was before the world was." (George Fox, Epistle 149,1657)

THOMAS R. BODINE, Clerk
MIRIAM E. JONES, Recording Clerk

68. Gordon M. Browne, Jr. introduced the report of the Social Concerns Committee. John R. Kellam spoke for Friends who attended the Race Relations Conference just concluded at Richmond, Indiana. Anne Foster added to the report with specific references to the lectures and discussions.

Our attention is directed to the Mississippi Project for rebuilding burned-out churches, which is a way that we may participate in helping directly in this field.

SOCIAL CONCERNS COMMITTEE

The Social Concerns Committee held five meetings of the full committee during 1964-65, including a joint weekend retreat at Woolman Hill with the Peace Committee. In addition, a sub-committee was active in making plans for the Conference on Moral Responsibility, which was held in Cambridge, Second Month 13, 1965.

The Conference on Moral Responsibility was one of three major activities for the year. The keynote speaker and leader of one of the discussion groups was Samuel Levering, chairman of the Five Years Meeting Board on Christian Social Concerns. Over seventy adults and a number of children attended the conference, which centered its attention on forms of non-physical violence, on integrity in business and public life, and on family relations.

In the year just past it was inevitable that race relations would be a major concern of the committee. Efforts were made to encourage Friends to attend the National Conference of Friends on Race Relations in Richmond in Sixth Month 1965. Assistance was given to the Joint Committee of New York and Philadelphia Yearly Meetings in their program of rebuilding burned out churches in Mississippi. After the murder of James Reeb in Selma, Alabama, the committee made a contribution to the cost of answering all the mail which came to Mrs. Reeb. At the same time, letters were written in the committee's name to the President and Attorney-General of the United States urging that the rights of all citizens to vote, to petition the government for redress of grievances, to assemble peaceably, and to move on the public highways in safety from assault be protected.

The third major activity was to plan for a worship-workshop at Yearly Meeting. The program centered on our responsibility to the poverty-stricken and culturally deprived citizens in our prosperous nation and in the world.

69. Thomas Bodine asked that Henry B. Williams take the Clerk's chair while he spoke to the Report of Friends World Conference 1967, to be held in Guilford, North Carolina. He suggests that names be forwarded to the Nominating Committee by local meetings and committees and that the thirteen delegates and alternates be finally selected by the Nominating Committee and members of the World Committee.

A further suggestion is that there be a New England regional conference or conferences following the World Conference to bring some of the overseas visitors to this area.

Both of these suggestions are approved. (The Clerk resumed his place.)

70. The Worship-Workshop on public education brought the following suggestions.

Friends as individual citizens have a responsibility for the social well-being of their communities, and in particular for their public schools. Our worship-workshop has accepted this statement and considered its implications; we raise the following points to assist us in carrying out this obligation:

1. We should make an effort to become informed about ways of education: ideas, methods, equipment, difficulties, potentials, and demands.

2. We should become acquainted with the needs and operation of schools in our local areas and with the civic associations such as parent-teacher associations and the League of Women Voters, which are undertaking study and action in this field.

3. We should be ready to undertake appropriate action either as individuals or through organizations available. This may take the form of political or individual action in support of qualified school committee candidates and legislation needed for a better school system. A readiness to attend school committee meetings as a citizen observer is recommended.

4. Friends should try to befriend the personnel of the public schools, realizing that teachers have personal and social needs.

5. We should be mindful of opportunities for volunteer service in the schools of our communities and we should be ready to relieve teachers by the performance of such routine tasks as seem appropriate. Service in the field of money-raising for special programs of enrichment is also valuable.

6. Some Friends have an opportunity for carrying out their individual concerns by teaching, and Young Friends are encouraged to consider this vocation.

Our worship-workshop feels that its experience has been rewarding, but it is acutely conscious of the incompleteness of its study and the need for further work in the field.

71. The Worship-Workshop on Peace brought the following letter to the attention of the Meeting. It is approved with editorial privileges.

The President
The White House
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. President:

We are deeply concerned about the violence and growing destruction being suffered by people in the war in Vietnam.

We are sympathetic to the burden of decision which you face as you seek to further the attainment of human dignity and welfare. These objectives are not severable from the character of the means employed to attain them. It is apparent to us that reliance upon military means is not leading to the achievement of these objectives, but instead is leading to greater and greater military involvement.

We urge the prayerful consideration of peaceful alternatives leading to negotiation and planned withdrawal of military forces beginning with a cessation of the bombing of North Vietnam.

We are encouraged by your recognition and support of such alternatives at the Mekong River Development Project and your invitation to the United Nations to help work out economic development proposals for South East Asia. These actions recognize the urgent physical and spiritual needs that lie at the root of the revolutionary unrest throughout the world.

We approve your suggestion made at San Francisco on June 25 that the United Nations undertake the task of bringing about unconditional negotiations. We urge the inclusion in these negotiations of the National Liberation Front. We further recommend that the United States support efforts by the Secretary-General of the United Nations to explore the feasibility of bringing about a cease fire accompanied by arrangements for a fact-finding mission to both North and South Vietnam. Such a plan might lead to the establishment of a group of caretaker nations to oversee the peaceful reunification and development of Vietnam as an independent nation through a plebiscite or other means of self determination.

Signed by direction and on behalf of New England Yearly Meeting of Friends (Quakers) now assembled for their 305th annual meeting for business at Providence, Rhode Island, June 22-27, 1965.

THOMAS R. BODINE, Clerk

72. George Rae brought the report of the Peace Committee. He urges us to be constantly aware of the need to make positive efforts toward peace. The Committee recommends

that the Good Friday Vigil before the State House in Boston or other similar prayer vigils be continued under the sponsorship of the Yearly Meeting. It is approved.

On Friday, August 6, the Peace Committee suggests that Meeting Houses be open for prayerful consideration of the twentieth anniversary of the dropping of the first Atomic Bomb on Hiroshima. Each Meeting would need to be aware of finding suitable ways to alert Friends and other people to join in this service of remembrance.

PEACE COMMITTEE

The Peace Committee, aware of the particularly critical world situation, has attempted to address itself to those areas of crisis impinging upon our peace testimony. This year it has seemed to the Peace Committee that the problem in Vietnam and the equally pressing problem of political deterioration at home was such that we could best address ourselves to these crises in particular. The Peace Committee made every effort to communicate the dangers inherent in a political morality of "government by persuasion," rather than government by consensus.

Again this year, the largest project was the overseeing of the Witness for Peace conducted near the statue of Mary Dyer at the State House in Boston on Friday, April 16, 1965. The many Friends who gave of their time and efforts helped again to make the Witness a success. It was felt that the Witness achieved its major objective which was a public prayer witness after the manner of Friends. The weather was good and the press coverage was very good. The signs, which dealt with the Vietnam crisis as well as with the traditional Quaker peace testimony to the world, seemed to be especially effective. 150 persons participated, most of them for the entire five hours. It was recommended and approved that the Peace Committee ask the Yearly Meeting to sponsor the Peace Witness next year as it did in 1964.

The chairman of the Social Concerns Committee, Gordon Browne, requested on behalf of his committee that the Peace and Social Concerns Committees be reunited. This was approved by the Peace Committee and also by the Executive Council. Therefore it is hoped that the combined committee can in the coming year carry out a constructive and dedicated program in these areas for the New England Yearly Meeting of Friends. The Worship-Workshops at Yearly Meeting will have Charles Harker as a resource leader. The focus will be on "the implications of disarmament."

Although the task has proved to be much greater than our resources during the past year, it is felt that the New England Yearly Meeting of Friends, addressing itself to the complicated problems of peace through the Peace Committee and through individual witness, has at least recognized and begun to act upon the central concern of all mankind - a world at peace in which all men are brothers.

73. The American Friends Service Committee reported on new projects at this time. One in Peru is led by two New England Friends. Committees on Family Planning are new avenues of help to individuals. A new area office of the American Friends Service Committee will be opened in Hartford, Connecticut.

James Morey spoke about the Disarmament and Social Change area where he has recently begun to study the new knowledge that can help us to make social change effectively. One example is in the study of the fishing industry and the ways of producing fish flour, a high-protein product for underdeveloped areas needing food.

Housing is an urgent problem. Robert Gustafson spoke about the Boston Housing Project. We cannot help being mindful that James Reeb, who was the director of the Housing Program, was murdered while standing for what he believed. The work he began is carried on, sometimes simply in being available to listen, or to introduce or follow through the work that was interrupted.

George Selleck spoke about the Interfaith Seminar of which he has been director. He has been motivating the clergy to discover and express their peace testimonies. Carefully planned meetings have been held and have been effective.

74. Gordon M. Browne, Jr. introduced a concern that more Negro students be recruited for our Friends Schools. Three steps needed are: locating potential students, qualifying them for entrance, and raising money to pay their tuitions. It is suggested that members from the Peace and Social Concerns Committee, the Schools Committee, and the Finance Committee make up a sub-Committee to explore the question and report to the Permanent Board. It is added that the Boards of Trustees of the Schools be included in the working party outlined above.

This is approved.

75. The Junior Yearly Meeting program, led by Helen Wyman who has directed this group, opened with their Epistle, read by Lynne Wetherell. A large number of persons who have helped with the program were recognized. Each class showed some summary of the work they have been doing. One group presented a check for twenty-five dollars to the American Friends Service Committee for trees for Algeria. This money had been earned during the day by a lemonade sale and the purchase of pieces of paper fruit for symbolic trees.

JUNIOR YEARLY MEETING EPISTLE

To Junior Yearly Meetings Everywhere:

Ninety-two Juniors met at Pembroke College in Providence, Rhode Island from June 22 to 27. Our theme was "How Can We Become Better Quakers?"

Each morning members of the adult Yearly Meeting shared their thoughts with us during our worship periods.

Our program included business meetings, creative activities and discussions on the following subjects: "What Does Jesus Expect of Us?" and "Becoming a Better Friend." Louisa Alger, Dorothy Hinshaw and Ann Wilkerson were leaders of these groups.

Miriam Jones, Edith Ware, Levinus Painter and Elmer Brown spoke to us on "Highlights of My Life as a Quaker."

Our afternoon interest groups included Service ("Trees for Algeria"), Orchestra, and Art. We also swam in the college pool.

The Leslie Barretts and Willard Ware showed beautiful slides and gave talks on Friends Missions in Africa and Jamaica as evening programs. We also had a film and game night.

We always enjoy meeting with the adults on the last evening of Yearly Meeting and reviewing with them our experiences of the week.

We received epistles from London, Baltimore, New York, Ohio, Pacific, and Rocky Mountain Junior Yearly Meetings.

This has been an inspiring experience for all of us and we feel that we are better people for having been here.

Epistle Committee:
BRUCE COCHRANE
REBECCA NAVIAS
JEFFREY BAILEY
CHRISTINA MESHENUK
LIZA BROWNE
GAIL WINE

STEVE BOOTH, Clerk
JEANNE ALDRICH, Recording Clerk
(Junior High Group)
ROBERT MARSTALLER, Clerk
DEBORAH HENTON, Recording Clerk
(Intermediate Group)

76. The Young Friends presented their theme and concern through a program of song, featuring peace and protest lyrics.

YOUNG FRIENDS EPISTLE

Greetings Young Friends!!!

The 1965 session of the Young Friends Yearly Meeting was held at Pembroke College, Providence, Rhode Island.

This year we have discussed the role of Young Friends in society, our theme being selected from Jeremiah:

> "Run to and fro through the streets. Look and take note!
> Search her squares to see if you can find a man, one who does justice and seeks truth."

The tone of this program was set by Millicent Foster in her talk on the changing role of the teen-ager. Through a visit to the Mathewson Street Methodist church, we learned of a church's struggle to involve the people of the "inner city" in church life, and to make Christianity relevant for today.

Bill Griggs intensified our theme by speaking on the religious and social activities of Young Friends across the United States.

Alton Wiley and Andrew Bell explained to us their problems as Negro residents in white neighborhoods. These problems made an impression on all of us, and helped to focus our attention on the problems facing a large industrial nation. Mr. Wiley's last words, that the problem "is in your hands," moved many of us.

Since our theme was "Youth in Action," our Saturday night program was a hootenanny, featuring peace and protest lyrics.

Again our leader was Edwin Hinshaw, who is now the Young Friends Secretary.

The moral and social implications of what we have learned this past week will affect many of us in our actions and thoughts in the future.

The Young Friends send their greetings to all Quaker youth and extend a welcome to them.

Epistle Committee:	In Quaker fellowship, Yours truly,
DARIA MESHENUK	CHARLES WHITE, Presiding Clerk
GAIL LASH	GAIL LASH, Recording Clerk
PHEBE PERRY	
DAVID MARSTALLER	
ROBIN LILIENTHAL	

77. James Toothaker brought greetings from Western Yearly Meeting Young Friends who have been meeting at Quaker Haven, Indiana.

78. The members of the Quaker Study Tour who began their trip by visiting this Meeting expressed greetings and appreciation for their visit among us.

79. The statistics for our sessions show 407 persons registered as of Saturday evening. There were 92 Juniors, 61 Young Friends, and 254 adults.

80. We now come to the end of our time together. Our spirits have been refreshed and our lives renewed. We have had a taste of Heaven and now we return to earth.

"The Kingdom of Heaven did gather and catch us all as in a net...We came to know a place to stand in and what to wait in; and the Lord appeared daily to us, to our astonishment, amazement and great admiration, insomuch that we often said one unto another with great joy of heart: 'What, is the Kingdom of God come to be with men?...Shall we, that were reckoned to be the outcasts of Israel, have this honour of glory communicated amongst us, which were but men of small parts and of little abilities?'...And from that day forward, our hearts were knit unto the Lord and one unto another in true and fervent love." — Francis Howgill.

Our sessions now conclude, purposing with Divine assistance to work together during the year and to meet in Amherst, Massachusetts, June 21-26, 1966.

THOMAS R. BODINE, Clerk
MIRIAM E. JONES, Recording Clerk

We hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the minutes as approved from time to time in the foregoing schedule of sessions, to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Thomas R Bodine

Miriam E. Jones

Tabulated Statement of Membership Changes in New England Yearly Meeting for the Year Ending 12-31-1964

Monthly & Quarterly Meetings	No. of Members, 1963	Gains					Losses						No. Members this Year	Net Gain	Net Loss	Number of Males	Number of Females	Number under age 21	Number of Junior Mbrs.	Jr. Members Trans. to Active Membership	No. of Resident Mbrs.	No. of Non-Resident Members	Attd. at Sun. Wor. (est.)	Attd. of Children at Sunday School	Attd. of Adults at Sunday School	No. Sun. School Classes
		Omissions last Report	Additions by Birth	Additions by Request	Addition from another Friends Meeting	Total Additions	Error in last Report	Death	Discontinuance, Resignation, or Disownment	Cert. to other Frds. Mtg.	Letter to another Den.	Total Loss														
Guilford	31	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	13	0	13	20	0	11	8	12	5	0	0	11	9	6	4	5	1
Hartford	252	3	1	4	5	13	0	3	1	4	1	9	256	4	0	114	142	109	114	1	208	48	75	56	27	7
Middletown	25	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	2	23	0	2	15	8	0	10	0	16	7	25	8	2	2
Monadnock	30	0	1	2	5	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	38	8	0	19	19	19	15	2	24	14	40	0	0	0
Mt. Toby	123	0	0	4	7	11	0	1	1	1	0	3	131	8	0	61	70	43	53	0	104	27	70	35	0	3
New Haven	56	1	0	1	2	4	0	0	1	7	0	8	52	0	4	19	33	23	21	0	40	12	30	20	0	4
Pleasant St.	41	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	39	0	2	16	23	9	9	2	21	18	18	0	0	0
Storrs	23	2	0	0	7	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	32	9	0	17	15	15	14	0	20	12	10	5	0	1
Conn. Valley Q. M.	582	6	2	13	26	47	1	7	4	25	1	38	591	9	0	269	322	220	236	5	444	147	274	128	34	18
Dover	124	0	0	0	1	1	0	5	0	0	0	5	120	0	4	57	63	18	19	0	66	54	30	0	0	0
Weare	73	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	73	0	0	38	35	22	27	0	47	26	20	15	10	2
Dover Q. M.	197	0	0	0	1	1	0	5	0	0	0	5	193	0	4	95	98	30	46	0	113	80	50	15	10	2
Durham	139	1	0	4	0	5	0	3	1	4	0	8	136	0	3	58	78	52	35	0	105	31	56	35	14	8
Falmouth	106	1	1	0	0	2	0	0	6	1	2	9	99	0	7	38	61	13	19	0	67	32	31	11	2	2
Forest Ave.	41	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	2	2	0	4	39	0	2	11	28	12	8	0	17	22	15	8	15	2
Parsonsfield	43	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	43	0	0	25	18	13	27	0	26	17	10	0	0	0
Sandwich	17	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	2	0	0	6	11	0	6	4	7	0	0	0	1	10	15	0	0	0
Windham	23	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	23	0	0	5	18	1	0	0	22	1	30	32	0	4
Falmouth Q. M.	369	2	1	4	2	9	4	3	11	7	2	27	351	0	18	141	210	91	89	0	238	113	157	86	31	16

Bennington	15	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	15	0	0	7	8	4	4	0	15	0	8	0	0	0
Burlington	49	0	0	4	2	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	55	6	0	28	27	25	25	0	32	23	25	2	1	1
Hanover	44	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	45	1	0	24	21	16	16	2	34	11	22	11	2	3
Northwest Q. M.	108	0	0	5	3	8	0	1	0	0	0	1	115	7	0	59	56	45	45	2	81	34	55	13	3	4
No. Dartmouth	33	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	33	0	0	12	21	8	0	0	19	14	15	0	0	0
Providence	192	0	3	3	6	12	0	3	0	1	1	5	199	7	0	95	104	48	60	1	139	60	87	19	15	6
Westerly	46	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	3	43	0	3	16	27	5	0	0	14	29	12	0	0	0
Rhode Island Q. M.	271	0	3	3	6	12	0	6	0	1	1	8	275	4	0	123	152	61	60	1	172	103	114	19	15	6
Amesbury	11	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	11	0	0	2	9	0	3	0	8	3	7	0	0	0
Cambridge	543	0	2	24	7	33	0	3	7	6	2	18	558	15	0	241	317	182	175	0	347	211	308	107	29	22
Lawrence	77	0	0	5	0	5	0	1	0	0	0	1	81	4	0	26	55	14	13	0	47	34	40	18	25	6
Lynn	59	0	0	3	0	3	0	1	0	0	0	1	61	2	0	24	37	6	5	0	49	12	27	8	5	4
Wellesley	85	0	2	9	2	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	98	13	0	40	58	49	47	0	97	1	65	35	0	6
Salem Q. M.	775	0	4	42	9	55	0	6	7	6	2	21	809	34	0	333	476	251	243	0	548	261	447	168	58	38
Allen's Neck	79	0	0	1	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	2	78	0	1	27	51	15	9	0	57	21	35	40	14	7
Dartmouth	63	0	1	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	65	2	0	28	37	10	9	0	51	14	25	43	6	7
New Bedford	90	0	0	2	0	2	5	5	11	0	0	21	71	0	18	30	41	3	7	0	32	39	30	10	5	1
Sandwich	51	0	0	6	12	18	0	0	0	0	0	0	69	18	0	25	44	16	18	1	41	28	59	7	7	3
Swansea	89	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	88	0	1	44	44	26	29	0	48	40	30	10	15	3
Westport	99	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	4	4	9	91	0	8	33	58	19	20	0	56	35	25	20	4	4
Sandwich Q. M.	471	0	1	11	12	24	5	8	11	4	5	33	462	0	9	187	275	89	92	1	285	177	199	130	51	25
Bolton	25	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	25	0	0	8	17	3	0	0	14	11	5	0	0	0
Smithfield	90	0	0	0	2	2	0	1	1	4	0	6	86	0	4	35	51	8	7	0	58	28	25	20	6	4
Worcester	151	0	1	1	0	2	0	0	3	0	1	4	149	0	2	69	80	40	40	2	110	39	40	18	10	6
Smithfield Q. M.	266	0	1	1	2	4	0	1	4	4	1	10	260	0	6	112	148	51	47	2	182	78	70	38	16	10
Camden	0	0	0	0	5	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	5	0	3	2	2	2	0	5	0	6	0	0	0
China	41	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	41	0	0	13	28	5	3	0	16	25	80	50	0	8
No. Fairfield	22	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	20	0	2	7	13	2	2	0	15	5	22	4	12	3
Oak Grove	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	2	2	90	0	0	0
Vassalboro	74	0	1	0	1	2	0	0	19	0	1	20	56	0	18	29	27	19	19	2	41	15	30	20	6	5
Winthrop	102	0	0	2	0	2	0	1	0	0	1	2	102	0	0	37	65	23	0	0	95	7	40	37	13	5
Vassalboro Q. M.	243	0	1	2	6	9	0	3	19	0	2	24	228	0	15	90	138	51	26	2	174	54	268	111	31	21
Totals	3282	8	13	81	67	169	10	40	56	47	14	167	3284	2	0	1409	1875	889	884	13	2237	1047	1634	708	249	140

YEARLY MEETING CALENDAR OF DAILY EVENTS

Tuesday, June 22

11:00 A.M. Special Meeting for Worship, to ask God's blessing on coming sessions.

2:00-3:30 P.M. Yearly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel, Thomas R. Bodine, "The Meaning of Concern," a summary of the 1965 Yearly Meeting Woolman Hill Conference.

3:45 P.M. Meeting of the Permanent Board.

7:00 P.M. Step Singing.

7:30-8:45 P.M. Opening Minute. John Elmendorf, Greetings from Brown University. Worship. Address by Elmer H. Brown on "Living Letters, the place of the Bible in Quakerism today."

Wednesday, June 23

8:15 A.M. Hymn Sing.

8:45-9:15 A.M. Bible Half Hour. Henry J. Cadbury on "Phases of Paul's Religion."

9:30-11:15 A.M. Worship-Workshops (½ hour for worship followed by 1¼ hour for discussion).

11:20 A.M.-12:20 P.M. Business Meeting. Roll Call of Representatives, Minutes of Visiting Friends. Reports of Permanent Board and Executive Council. Concerns from Quarterly Meetings.

3:00-4:30 P.M. Business Meeting. Reports: Discipline Revision Committee; Finance Committee, Initial presentation of Budget for 1965-66; Archives and Historical Records Committee; Mosher Book and Tract Committee.

4:45 P.M. Meeting of the Representatives.

7:00 P.M. Step Singing.

7:30-8:45 P.M. Business Meeting. Correspondence Committee (Epistles). Report of Friends General Conference Committee: Speaker, Lawrence Miller, Jr. Report of Friends World Committee. Business Items and Announcements from Committees reporting in 1966: Five Years Meeting, Missionary, Christian Education.

9:00 P.M. Slide Presentation of Friends Around the World.

Thursday, June 24

8:15 A.M. Hymn Sing.

8:45-9:15 A.M. Bible Half Hour, Henry J. Cadbury.

9:30-11:15 A.M. Worship-Workshops.

11:20 A.M.-12:20 P.M. Business Meeting. Reports of Field Secretary and Yearly Meeting Office, Young Friends Secretary, and Nominating Committee.

1:30-2:45 P.M. New England United Society of Friends Women annual meeting. Panel of Friends Overseas Workers.

3:00-5:00 P.M. Business Meeting. Reports: China Camp, New England Friends Home, Meetings and Extension Committees, Yearly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel. Consideration of State of Society; Spiritual Condition Reports, Statistical Reports. General Concerns.

5:00 P.M. Organization of Committees for the new year.

7:00 P.M. Step Singing.

7:30-8:45 P.M. Public Meeting. Worship. Address by Levinus Painter, "Expanding Horizons of Quaker Outreach."

9:00 P.M. Organization of Committees for the new year.

Friday, June 25

8:15 A.M. Hymn Sing.

8:45-9:15 A.M. Bible Half Hour, Henry J. Cadbury.

9:30-11:15 A.M. Worship-Workshops.

11:20 A.M.-12:20 P.M. Business Meeting. Plans for 1966 Yearly Meeting. Report of Representatives. Discipline Revision Committee (continued).

2:00-4:00 P.M. Business Meeting. Correspondence Committee (Epistles). Reports: Moses Brown School and Lincoln School Committee (Lincoln School), Oak Grove School, Woolman Hill, Friends Committee on National Legislation. Items from organizations reporting in 1966: Friends Council on Education, Meeting School, Cambridge Friends School, Beacon Hill Friends House.

7:00 P.M. Step Singing.

7:30-8:45 P.M. Public Meeting. Worship. Address by Joseph A. Doorley, Jr. on "Providence Faces the Problems of the American City."

9:00 P.M. Organization of Committees for the new year.

Saturday, June 26

8:15 A.M. Hymn Sing.
8:45-9:15 A.M. Bible Half Hour, Henry J. Cadbury.
9:30-11:15 A.M. Worship-Workshops.
11:20 A.M.-12:20 P.M. Business Meeting. Finance Committee; Adoption of Budget. Reports: Auditors of Permanent Fund; Investment Funds, Equalization Fund, Student Loan Committees.
2:00-5:00 P.M. Business Meeting. Correspondence Committee (Epistle). Report of Social Concerns Committee. Concerns growing out of worship-workshops. Items from committees reporting in 1966: Peace Committee, American Friends Service Committee. Unfinished Business.
5:00 P.M. Organization of committees for the new year.
7:00 P.M. Step Singing.
7:30-8:45 P.M. Report from Junior Yearly Meeting. Young Friends report and program.

Sunday, June 27

9:30-10:15 A.M. Morning Class. T. Eugene Coffin on "The Dynamic of the Quaker Message."
9:30-10:15 A.M. Bible School for children under care of Christian Education Committee.
10:30 A.M. Meetings for Worship. Alumnae Hall Auditorium, Providence Friends Meeting House, and Saylesville Meeting House (11:00 A.M.).
1:30-2:45 P.M. Public Meeting. Panel Presentation by Friends Recently Returned From Overseas: Leslie and Winnifred Barrett (Kenya), Jeannette Smith (Kenya), Roland Warren (East Berlin).
3:15 P.M. Meeting of the Permanent Board.

Worship-Workshops

1. Ministry and Counsel. The Spiritual Bases of Friends Concerns: their Sources and Direction; Psychology of concerns; Spiritual growth through service; Serving through the group; Developing our inner resources.
2. Meetings and Extension Committee. The Leaven of Vital Quakerism. The Inner Light, Source of Vitality; The Good News; Innovation — Discovery of New Techniques; Communication, Articulation, Convincement.
3. Missionary Committee. Quaker Ministry and Outreach, in East Asia, India and Middle East, East Africa, America.
4. Christian Education Committee. Is Anybody Listening? Interpersonal Relationships in Home, School, Meeting. How people

see things around them. Does this prevent communication? How can we produce empathy?

5. Executive Council. Friends' Responsibility for Public Schools. Friends have a responsibility for the social well-being of their communities, and in particular for their public schools especially in these times of controversy over the special problems of the disadvantaged.
6. Friends General Conference Committee. Friends General Conference: Its Contribution to the Life of New England Meetings —to define areas of mutual cooperation and to explore possible ways of increasing the growth of spiritual vitality in the local meeting.
7. Young Friends Committee. A challenge, Young Friends — The Leadership Crisis. Why leadership? Effective leadership (methods and accepted ways). Organization and leadership. Person-centered leadership (counseling and guidance methods).
8. Peace Committee. Implications of Disarmament. Beginning with spiritual basis of our peace witness; application in secular and political sphere. International situation in Vietnam, relations with China, disarmament.
9. Social Concerns Committee. Is the Good Life for Everyone? Are Friends an Irrelevant Middle Class Sect? We are concerned with the basic economic, cultural and moral deprivation of the "haves" and the "have-nots." Do we really concern ourselves with these?

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Yearly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel
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Permanent Board
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Ex officio: The Clerk, the Field Secretary, the Treasurer of the Yearly Meeting, and the Chairman of the Executive Council.

Executive Council
Chairman: SAMUEL B. BURGESS
Secretary: VIRGINIA TOWNSEND

For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
George I. Bliss	Henry C. Foster	Hazel C. Foster
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Clerk of the Yearly Meeting, of the Permanent Board, of the Yearly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel, the Field Secretary, Chairman of the Arrangements Committee, Clerk of the Young Friends Committee.

Arrangements Committee (Appointed by the Executive Council)
Chairman: HELEN L. BLISS

Archives and Historical Records Committee
Chairman: THYRA JANE FOSTER

For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
Amelia F. Emerson	Thomas Bassett	Thyra Jane Foster
F. Warren Howe, Jr.	George McCandlish	Ralph E. Cook
Doris P. Mowry	L. Ralston Thomas	George A. Selleck

Auditors of the Permanent Funds
For One Year: Seth K. Gifford II
For Two Years: Clayton W. Spinney
For Three Years: Willard H. Ware

China Camp Committee
Chairman: STANLEY L. ALDRICH

For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
Edwin E. Hinshaw	Stanley Aldrich	Ralph W. Austin
J. Franklin Pineo	George F. Cates	Richard Gove
Mildred S. Richardson	Ralph D. Greene	Virginia M. Phillips
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Christian Education Committee
Chairman: SYLVIA PERRY
Junior Yearly Meeting: HELEN WYMAN

For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
Mary Jane Carpenter	Elmer H. Brown	Sibylle J. Barlow
Lina Hanson	Philip Cornell	Helen Bliss
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Sophie Reynolds	Natalie C. Howe	Margaret Wentworth
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Helen Wyman	Betty Wildes	

Correspondence Committee
Chairman: ELEANOR N. WILSON

For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
Elizabeth F. Ballard	Gordon M. Browne	Mabel Bailey
Jane C. Burgess	Paul C. Mangelsdorf, Jr.	Jean Cochrane
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Discipline Revision Committee
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For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
Louis J. Marstaller	George A. Selleck	Thomas Bassett
Daisy N. Newman	Henry B. Stevens	Gordon M. Browne, Jr.
Henry H. Perry	Lelia E. Taylor	Jane C. Burgess
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For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
Edward Leslie	Richard S. Gove	Eleanor C. Bailey
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Eunice Strobel	Willard T. Ware	Francis Wheeler

Finance Committee (Appointed by Quarterly Meetings)

Chairman: ERNEST H. WEED

	For One Year	For Two Years
Connecticut Valley:	Rose Schafer	Vincent Cochrane
Dover:	Silas Weeks	David Curtis
Falmouth:	Walter Thomes	Vivian Hill
Northwest:	Virginia Little	Robert Condon
Rhode Island:	Donald E. Gates	James P. Brown
Salem:	Richard S. Gove	
Sandwich:	Ernest H. Weed	Karl Erickson
Smithfield:	Kenneth Strobel	Clayton Drown
Vassalboro:	Ralph E. Cook	Robert E. Owen

Ex officio: Treasurer of the Yearly Meeting.

Friends General Conference Committee

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For Two Years	For Four Years
Elizabeth F. Ballard	Helen L. Bliss
George I. Bliss	Elmer Brown
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Elizabeth Knowlton	Mary Mangelsdorf
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The Clerk of the Yearly Meeting and of the Permanent Board.

Friends United Meeting Committee

Friends Central Offices, 101 Quaker Hill Dr., Richmond, Indiana
Chairman: WILLARD H. WARE

(Composed of representatives from New England appointed to Boards of the Friends United Meeting and representatives appointed to the Friends United Meeting.)

Appointments to Boards:
Board on Christian Education: Sylvia S. Perry and David Wetherell
Board on Christian Social Concerns: George W. Rae
Board on Christian Vocations: Clarabel Marstaller
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Board on Stewardship and Finance: Finley H. Perry
Executive Council: Thomas R. Bodine and Willard H. Ware

Representatives to Friends United Meeting, July 15-22, 1966:

George Bliss
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Lelia Taylor
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Wendell Clepper
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For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
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For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
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For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
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Nominating Committee

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	For One Year	For Two Years
Connecticut Valley:	Elizabeth Musgrave	Christine Wilson
Dover:	Mildred Richardson	Eleanor B. Dryer
Falmouth:	Margaret Wentworth	Frances P. York
Northwest:	George Little	Nancy Booth
Rhode Island:	Mary V. Myers	Alexander Burgess, Jr.
Salem:	Jane Burgess	Penelope Turton
Sandwich:	Margaret Douglas	Russell Cornell
Smithfield:	Ruth N. Dow	Edith Paine
Vessalboro:	Eleanor Wilson	Leona G. Stevens

Peace and Social Concern Committee

Chairman: GEORGE RAE

For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
Gordon M. Browne	Ralph E. Cook	Robert Burgess
Philip H. Cornell	David L. Curtis	Ruth Burgess
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For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
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Board of Directors of the Massachusetts Council of Churches:
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Annual Meeting of the Massachusetts Council of Churches:
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State Board of United Church Women of Massachusetts:
Lois Brown   Alternate: Dorothy Averill

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For One Year	For Two Years	For Three Years
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Vice President: Dorothy Hinshaw
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  Missionary Education: Mildred S. Richardson
  Youth and Children's Work: Joyce Rowe
  Stewardship: Ruth Mellor
Nominating Committee:
  For One Year: Ruth Mellor
  For Two Years: Ruth C. Graham
  For Three Years: Marion Jessell

Young Friends Committee
Young Friends Officers appointed by Young Friends:
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  Recording Clerk: Daria Meshenuk
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  Crier Editors: Jack Burgess, Elaine Wood
  Young Friends of North America: Lea Estes
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CONNECTICUT VALLEY QUARTERLY MEETING

Curtis Johnson, Clerk. Held on the first Saturday or Sunday in February, May, August, and October. In February at West Hartford, in May at New Haven, in August at Guilford or Rindge, in October with Mt. Toby Monthly Meeting. Hours of meeting vary. Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel the same day or evening before, David McAllester, Clerk.

Meeting	Location	Sunday Worship	Sunday School	Business Meeting	Clerk & Workers
Guilford Monthly Meeting	Home of Ellen Thomas, 179 Horsepond Rd., Madison, Conn.	10:30	10:45	2nd Thursday, 8:00 p.m.	Rose Z. Schafer, Clerk
Hartford Monthly Meeting	144 S. Quaker Lane W. Hartford, Conn. 06119	10:00 & 11:00	11:00	2nd Thursday, except July & Aug. 7:45 p.m.	Theodore Paullin, Clerk
Middletown Monthly Mtg.	Downey House, Wesleyan U., High St. Middletown, Conn. (Not mailing address)	11:00	11:15	3rd Sunday, Homes of members, 7:30 p.m.	Clinton Taylor, Clerk
Monadnock Monthly Mtg.	The Meeting School Thomas Rd., Rindge, New Hampshire	10:15		2nd Sunday after Worship	Griffin Stabler, Clerk
Mt. Toby Monthly Mtg.	New Meetinghouse, Rt. 63, 3½ miles north of N. Amherst, Mass.	10:30	10:30	2nd Wednesday, 7:45 p.m.	Trevor Robinson, Clerk
Gould Farm Prep. Mtg.	Home of Adele Wehmeyer, Gould Farm, Rt. 23, 8 mi, east of Great Barrington, Mass.	5:00 p.m.			

South Hadley Mtg. for Wor.	South Hadley, Mass. (contact Corres.)	4:30 p.m. Once a month			David Holden, Corres.
New Haven Monthly Mtg.	Faculty Room, Conn. Hall, Yale U.	9:45	9:45	2nd Sunday, 11:00 (except June-Sept.)	Annette Donovan, Clerk
Pleasant Street Monthly Mtg.	901 Pleasant St., Worcester, Mass.	11:00	11:00	2nd Thursday, 7:30 p.m.	Francis J. W. Wheeler, Clerk
Storrs Monthly Meeting	Rt. 195, Storrs, Conn. Across from Storrs Grammar School	11:00		3rd Sunday, 7:30 p.m.	Lawrence L. Parrish, Clerk

DOVER QUARTERLY MEETING

David Curtis, Ass't Clerk. Held on the fourth Sunday in April, August, and October. In April at Dover, in August at Weare (Henniker Meetinghouse), and in October at Gonic. Worship at 11:00 a.m., business meeting at 1:00 p.m. Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel at 10:30 the same day with David L. Curtis as clerk.

Meeting	**Location**	**Sunday Worship**	**Sunday School**	**Business Meeting**	**Clerk & Workers**
Dover Monthly Meeting	Consult Clerk for place of Business Mtg.			2nd Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.	Mildred S. Richardson, Clerk
Dover Prep. Meeting	Central Ave. at Trakey St., Dover, New Hampshire	11:00	11:00	Following Worship 2nd Sunday in Jan. April, July, Sept.	Eleanor B. Dryer, Clerk
Gonic Prep. Meeting	Maple St., Gonic, New Hampshire	10:30		1st Sunday, 11:30 a.m.	Edith Teague, Clerk
Weare Monthly Meeting	Federated Church North Weare, N. H.	9:45 (except July)	11:00	1st Friday, 8:00 p.m., homes of members	Miriam G. Osborne Clerk
Concord Prep. Meeting	2 Thorndike St., Concord, N. H.	10:00 Sept.-June	10:00	Sunday before 1st Friday after Worship	Donald Booth, Clerk

FALMOUTH QUARTERLY MEETING

Stanley L. Aldrich, Clerk. Held on the last Saturday in January, May, August and October. In January at Oak St., Portland, Me., in May at Parsonsfield, in August at Durham, in October at Windham. Worship at 11:00 a.m. and business meeting at 1:00 p.m. Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel the same day at 9:45 a.m. with Vivian M. Woodbury as clerk.

Meeting	Location	Sunday Worship	Sunday School	Business Meeting	Clerk & Workers
Durham Monthly Meeting	South Durham, Me. Rt. 125, between Freeport and Lisbon Falls	10:00	11:00	3rd Wednesday, 7:30	Peter P. Jonitis, Clerk
Falmouth Monthly Meeting	83 Oak St., Portland, Maine	10:45 except July & August	10:45	3rd Tuesday, 7:30, except June-Aug.	Earl K. Sweatland, Pastor
Forest Avenue Monthly Mtg.	1837 Forest Ave., Portland, Maine	10:30 Summer 9:30 mid-June - Sept.		2nd Sunday, 1:00 p.m.	Glenice C. Hutchins, Clerk
Parsonsfield Monthly Mtg.	East Parsonsfield, Maine	2:00 Summer		Held at the call of the Clerk	Ramona E. Day, Clerk
Sandwich Monthly Meeting	North Sandwich, New Hampshire	10:30 July-August		Held at the call of the Clerk	Marion I. Spaulding, Clerk
Windham Monthly Meeting	Windham Center, Maine, Route 202	9:00	10:00	3rd Sunday, 7:00 p.m.	Carolyn Small, Clerk Earl K. Sweatland Pastor

NORTHWEST QUARTERLY MEETING

Thomas Bassett, Clerk. Held at Farm and Wilderness Camp, West Bridgewater, Vermont, September 11-12, 1965; Bennington, Vermont, December 4-5, 1965, consult Clerk for place of meeting; Waterman Lounge, University of Vermont, Burlington, March 5-6, 1966; Farm and Wilderness Camp, West Bridgewater, Vermont, May 28-29, 1966. Meeting for Worship at 11:00 a.m. on Sunday. Meeting for Business at 1:30 p.m. Meeting on Ministry and Counsel at 8:00 p.m. the first day, Francis Fay, clerk.

Meeting	Location	Sunday Worship	Sunday School	Business Meeting	Clerk & Workers
Bennington Monthly Mtg.	Old Bennington School House, Rt. 9 Bennington, Vt.	10:00		4th Sunday, after Worship	Julia Damkoehler, Clerk
Putney, Vt.	Home of Albert Holzer	11:00			Nathaniel Hendricks, Corres.
Burlington Monthly Mtg.	179 N. Prospect St. Burlington, Vt.	11:00	11:00	1st Sunday, Alternately 12:00 & 1:30 p.m., Sept. through May	Elizabeth Edwards Clerk
Plainfield, Vt.	Grange Hall, Plainfield, Vt.	11:00		3rd Thursday, 8:00 p.m.	Francis Fay, Corres.
Hanover Monthly Meeting	Christian Union Lounge, Dartmouth College, Hanover, N. H.	10:45 School year	10:45	1st Sunday, 2:00 p.m.	Avery Harrington, Clerk
	Avery Harrington's Home, Claflin Circle, Hanover	9:30 Summer			
New London, N. H.	Colby Junior College; First Baptist Church 1st and 3rd Sundays	6:00 p.m.			Polly Parker, Corres.

RHODE ISLAND QUARTERLY MEETING

Edward A. White, Clerk. Held on the third Saturday in April, July, and October. In April at Providence; in July at North Dartmouth, Mass.; in October at Westerly. Meeting for Worship at 11:00, Business Meeting at 1:30 p.m. Meeting on Ministry and Counsel at 10:30 a.m. the same day with Ruth D. B. White as clerk.

Meeting	Location	Sunday Worship	Sunday School	Business Meeting	Clerk & Workers
North Dartmouth Monthly Mtg.	State Road, Rt. 6 North Dartmouth, Mass., near Smith Mills	11:00		Last Sunday in March, June, Sept., and Dec., after worship	Marian B. Goodwin, Clerk

Rhode Island Quarterly Meeting (cont.)

Meeting	Location	Sunday Worship	Sunday School	Business Meeting	Clerk & Workers
Providence Monthly Mtg.	99 Morris Ave., Providence, R. I.	11:00	10:00	Even months, 2nd Thursday, 7:30; odd months, 2nd Sunday, 2 p.m.	Ambrose Meyers, Clerk
Saylesville Prep. Mtg.	Great Rd., Saylesville, R. I.	11:00		Held at call of Clerk. Monthly Mtg. held in Saylesville in May, July, Sept. and November	J. Rudolph Metz, Clerk
Westerly Monthly Meeting	57 Elm St. Westerly, R. I.	11:00 10:30 July - Sept.		Last Sunday in March, June, Sept., Dec. 12:00	Marjorie B. Taylor, Clerk

SALEM QUARTERLY MEETING

Norman Constantineau, Clerk. To be held Saturday, October 16 at Lynn; Sunday, January 16, 1966 at Wellesley; Sunday, May 15, 1966 at Amesbury. Worship at 11:00 a.m., business at 1:30 p.m. Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel the same day, time to be arranged.

Meeting	Location	Sunday Worship	Sunday School	Business Meeting	Clerk & Workers
Amesbury Monthly Mtg.	Friend & Greenleaf Sts., Amesbury, Mass.	2nd & 4th Sundays 10:45 June-Sept.		2nd Sunday after Worship, Jan., April, July, Oct.	Dorothy J. Averill, Clerk
	Averill Home, 14 Beacon St., Amesbury	10:45 Oct.-May			
Cambridge Monthly Mtg.	5 Longfellow Park, Cambridge, Mass.	9:30 & 11:00	9:30	2nd Thursday 7:30	Roderick Firth, Clerk Elmer H. Brown, Secretary

Acton Prep. Meeting	Women's Club Bldg., Acton Center, Mass.	10:00	10:00	1st Sunday, 11:00	J. Huston Westover, Clerk
Boston Mtg. for Worship	6 Chestnut St., Boston, Mass.	11:00	10:00		Larry White, Clerk
Framingham Prep. Mtg.	Edmands & Nixon Rds., Framingham, Mass.	10:45	10:00	4th Wednesday, 8:00 p.m.	John Carey, Clerk
Hingham Prep. Meeting	New England Friends Home, Turkey Hill Lane, Hingham, Mass.	10:30	10:30	At the call of the Clerk	Ruth Arnold, Clerk
Pembroke Mtg. for Worship	N. Pembroke, Mass. Junction of routes 139 and 53	1st & 3rd Sundays 10:30			Richard Archer, Corres.
Lawrence Monthly Mtg.	45 Avon St. Lawrence, Mass.	11:00 10:00 July-Aug.	10:00	1st Wednesday, 7:30	John Peacock, Clerk
Lynn Monthly Meeting	68 Silsbee St., off Broad St., Lynn, Mass.	11:00	9:45	2nd Wednesday, 8:00 p.m.	Clayton Spinney, Clerk James Howard, Pastor
Wellesley Monthly Mtg.	Benvenue St., Cor. Grove St., Wellesley, Mass.	10:30	10:30	2nd Thursday, at homes of members, 7:45 p.m.	Harold J. Hoge, Clerk

SANDWICH QUARTERLY MEETING

Donald C. McLeod, Clerk. Held on the second Saturday in January, April, July and October. July 1965 at West Falmouth, October at Swansea, January 1966 at New Bedford, April at Westport, July at Dartmouth. Worship at 11:00 a.m. with business following. Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel at 10:00 a.m. with same day with Harry Allen as clerk.

Meeting	**Location**	**Sunday Worship**	**Sunday School**	**Business Meeting**	**Clerk & Workers**
Allen's Neck Monthly Mtg.	Horseneck Road, Dartmouth, Mass.	9:45	11:00	4th Wednesday, 8:00 p.m.	Doris Ashley, Clerk Arthur Gelenian, Pastor

Sandwich Quarterly Meeting (cont.)

Meeting	Location	Sunday Worship	Sunday School	Business Meeting	Clerk & Workers
Dartmouth Monthly Mtg.	Smith Neck Rd., S. Dartmouth, Mass.	10:00	9:00	1st Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.	Cora Tripp, Clerk Ellsworth White, Pastor
New Bedford Monthly Mtg.	Spring Street, New Bedford, Mass.			3rd Sunday in March, June, Sept., Dec., 2:30 p.m.	Bertha Pierce, Clerk
New Bedford Prep. Mtg.	Spring St., New Bedford, Mass.	11:00		At the call of the Clerk	Ida M. Mesner, Clerk
Long Plain Prep. Mtg.	Main St., Acushnet, Mass.			1st Wednesday after 2nd Thurs. at Acushnet in July; 3rd Sat. in April & Oct. at Mattapoisett; 11:00 a.m.	Bertha Pierce, Clerk
Long Plain Part. Mtg.	Main St., Acushnet, Mass.	7:30 p.m. 2nd Wed., summer			Helen L. Ashley, Corres.
Mattapoisett Part. Mtg.	Route 6, 8 miles east of New Bedford, Mass.	11:00	10:00		Cynthia J. Power, Corres. Earle D. Wilson, Pastor
Sandwich Monthly Meeting				1st. Sunday, 4 p.m.	Gordon M. Browne, Jr., Clerk
Sandwich Prep. Meeting	East Sandwich, Mass., off Rt. 6A	11:00 1st Sunday in August			
Yarmouth Prep. Mtg.	North Main St., South Yarmouth, Mass.	10:00	11:10	Last Sunday, after Worship	Iona S. Fitzgerald, Clerk

West Falmouth Prep. Mtg.	West Falmouth, Mass.	11:00		Last Sunday, 6:00 p.m.	Lee Bennett, Clerk
Swansea Monthly Mtg.	Prospect St., Somerset, Mass., 1 mi. north of Rt. 6	9:30	10:30	Held at the call of the Clerk	Dorothy F. Williamson, Clerk Ellsworth B. MacAffee, Pasto
Westport Monthly Mtg.	Main Road, Central Village, Mass.	10:45	9:30	Saturday before 2nd Sunday, 7:30 p.m.	Stewart Kirkaldy, Clerk J. Franklin Pineo, Pastor

SMITHFIELD QUARTERLY MEETING

Willard H. Ware, Clerk. Held on the third Saturday in April, July, and October. In July at the old Bolton meetinghouse in Old Sturbridge Village, Sturbridge, Mass. (picnic lunch at noon); in October at Woonsocket, R. I.; and in April at Worcester, Mass. Worship at 1:00 p.m. and business meeting at 2:30. Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel at 11:00 a.m. with Robert N. Cool as clerk.

Meeting	Location	Sunday Worship	Sunday School	Business Meeting	Clerk & Workers
Bolton Monthly Meeting	Federated at Unitarian Church, Bolton, Mass.	11:00	10:00	Held at call of the Clerk	Margaret Ware, Clerk Howard P. Davis, Pastor
Smithfield Monthly Mtg.	126 Smithfield Rd., Woonsocket, R.I.	11:00 10:00 mid-June -mid Sept. (None in August)	10:00	Last Friday, 7:30 p.m.	Melita B. Fisher, Clerk Robert N. Cool, Pastor
Worcester Monthly Mtg.	19 Oxford St., at Chatham St., Worcester, Mass.	11:00	10:00	3rd Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.	Clayton Drown, Clerk Rutherford Everest, Pastor

VASSALBORO QUARTERLY MEETING

Ralph E. Cook, Clerk. Held on the first Saturday in February, August, and October, last Saturday in April, and the second Sunday in November. February at East Vassalboro, Me., April at Winthrop Center, August at South China, October at North Fairfield, and November at Oak Grove School, Vassalboro. Worship at 11:00 a.m., business meeting at 1:30 p.m.; in November Worship is at 2:00 p.m., business meeting at 3:00 p.m. Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel at 1:00 p.m. the same day with Lelia E. Taylor, Clerk.

Meeting	Location	Sunday Worship	Sunday School	Business Meeting	Clerk & Workers
Camden Monthly Meeting	In homes of members, Camden, Maine	10:30		3rd Sunday, 7:30 p.m. in homes of members	Ralph E. Cook, Clerk
	Ruth Bunker's Studio Main St., Rockport,Me. May—Sept.	9:30 June-August			
China Monthly Meeting	Community Church, South China, Maine, just off Rt. 202	10:30	11:30	Wednesday after 2nd Thursday, 8:00 p.m.	Marion E. Jones, Clerk David Van Strein, Pastor
North Fairfield Monthly Mtg.	N. Fairfield, Me., Rt. 104, 2½ mi. north of Fairfield Ctr.	10:30 Apr. - Dec.	11:30	3rd Sunday, 12:00, April - December	Eva Otis, Clerk Lelia E. Taylor, Pastor
Oak Grove Monthly Mtg.	Oak Grove School, Vassalboro, Maine	7:30 p.m.		3rd Tuesday, 7:00 p.m., except summer	Robert E. Owen, Clerk
Vassalboro Monthly Mtg.	Upper Pleasant St., East Vassalboro, Me.	10:30	11:30	2nd Sunday, at homes of members, 8:00 p.m.	Annabel I. Cates, Clerk
Winthrop Monthly Meeting	Winthrop Center, Me., Rt. 135, 4 mi. east of Winthrop	11:00 10:00 summer	10:00	Last Sunday, 7:30 p.m.	Hazel C. Foster, Clerk

FRIENDS MEETING IN NEW ENGLAND BELONGING TO OTHER YEARLY MEETINGS

Meeting	Location	Sunday Worship	Clerk or Correspondent
Monkton Ridge Monthly Meeting (N. Y.)	Monkton Ridge, Vermont	9:30	Marjorie Lawrence, Clerk
Newport, R. I. (Ohio)	21 Farewell Street	11:00	David Jackson, Pastor
Newton Preparative Meeting (N. Y.)	Queen St., Newton, Conn.	11:00	Kirstin Tribby, Clerk
Portsmouth, R. I. (Ohio)	Middle Road at Hedley St.	11:00	Marguerite Briggs, Clerk
Stamford-Greenwich Monthly Meeting	Roxbury Rd., & Westover Rd., at Den Rd. exit of Merritt Pkwy., Stamford, Conn.	10:00	William Merriss, Clerk
Wilton Monthly Meeting (N. Y.)	317 New Canaan Ave., Wilton, Conn.	11:00	George Hastings, Clerk

OCCASIONAL FRIENDS MEETINGS FOR WORSHIP IN NEW ENGLAND

Location of Meetinghouse	Hour of Worship	Contact Person
Adams, Mass., Friend Street	First Sunday in September, 3:00	Lucy A. Booth
Casco, Maine, Quaker Ridge	Third Sunday in July, 2:30	Betsy Maxfield Miller
Dartmouth, Mass., Apponegansett, near Russells Mills	Last Sunday in July, 3:00	Cora Tripp
Henniker, New Hampshire	First Friday in August, 10:30	Henry T. Osborne
Little Compton, R. I.	Last Sunday in August, 3:00	Carleton C. Brownell
Jamestown, Rhode Island	Each Sunday in July and August, 10:30	Catharine M. Wright
Nantucket, Mass., Fair Street	Each Sunday in July and August, 10:45	Hanna D. Monaghan
South Uxbridge, Mass., Rt. 146	Second Sunday in June and October, 3:00	Melita B. Fisher
Unity, N. H. Quaker City, 7 mi. south of Claremont	First Sunday in August, 11:00	Henry T. Osborne
West Epping, New Hampshire	First Sunday in October, 2:00	Mary Blair

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